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BLEASE IS MUM ON BURNS AFFAIR

Only Excuse for Not Answering Charges Ladies Were Present

HIS SPEECH AT COLUMBIA MEETING HELD YESTERDAY

Attack on Newspapers and Political Opponents — Pays Respects to Greenville Men—Day Meeting. Is Rather Caustic.

Columbia, S. C., July 19.—Although he delivered speeches here today and tonight, Governor Cole L. Blease failed to make his promised reply to the charges of official corruption brought out against him by the special investigating committee of the State Legislature.

Governor Blease failed to criticise Thomas B. Felder, the Atlanta attorney who made sensational charges against the Carolina Governor at the recent committee conference in Augusta, Ga. He declared he would not "touch on Felder," because "there were ladies present."

The Governor devoted his speech tonight to an attack on newspapers and political opponents in this State. In speaking of O. M. Watson and J. N. King, of Greenville, S. C., who recently issued a signed statement, saying that they had been insulted at the Governor's mansion, when they attempted to secure a reprieve for a condemned negro, he is quoted as saying: "I would glady pardon any man who would insult King and Watson, if they should come to his house in the same condition and use the same language which they did at the mansion."

The Day Meeting.

Columbia, July 19.—Twelve hundred people assembled in the Columbia theatre here at 10:30 o'clock today to hear the candidates lay down their claim for office and especially to hear Gov. Blease deny the charges produced against him by the dispensary affairs investigation committee of the Legislature, and in the audience were more ladies than have yet heard the candidates at any one meeting.

The candidates for treasurer, D. W. McLaurin and S. T. Carter, were first heard, and J. H. Wharton, James Cansler and John G. Richards, aspirants for the railroad commission, followed. The candidates for Attorney General, Peeples, Earle, Evans and Lyon, preceded the aspirants for the Governorship.

Judge Jones was the first speaker in the Gubernatorial contest, and Gov. Blease came second. John T. Duncan came last, but it was a small crowd that heard him speak. The capacity of the Columbia theatre is 1,700 and when the candidates for Governor were announced standing room was at a premium.

Evans to Reveal Scandal.

B. B. Evans' speech was similar to those already delivered by him during the campaign, his charges of corruption on the part of the Ansel dispensary commission being repeated, as well as his charge that money, that should have gone to the public schools, had been squandered. When Evans said that if he were put in office, he would show up "the grandest set of kid-gloved thieves that ever operated in the State," he was loudly applauded. He repeated his promise to unearth in a few days, and base it on facts, "a scandal that will shock the most optimistic in South Carolina." "Do it now," shouted a voice in the audience.

Evans referred to the reports that at Barnwell he had had a pistol in his pocket, and said: "If any man lays his hand on Barney Evans on the public stump in South Carolina, he will take it off sooner than he put it on." He asked that if Dr. Murray were in the audience, he rise and deny that he had told him (Evans) that he did not favor the employment of Thomas B. Felder in connection with the dispensary winding up. He referred in "easy" terms to Dr. Murray and said he did not want to misquote him. "I do not accuse him of selling out, but it looks very fishy," was one of Evans' remarks against Lyon.

Lyon Silences Noisy Men.

"Miserable creature," "Crook" and like terms were employed by Attorney General Lyon in his reply to Evans, when he assailed the latter's record in the strongest terms, telling of the forgery indictments against Evans, of his facing a jury in Edgefield on a charge of forgery and of other prosecutions against him. "Dirty' contemptible forger," was an expression used by Lyon in referring to Evans, and he said he had documents in his hand to prove his assertion. He referred to George R. Rembert, P. H. Nelson and other Columbia attorneys, who had brought proceedings against Evans. Lyon was interrupted considerably with shouts of "hurrah for Peeples" and the like, but when he said he was delighted to have the opposition of those who were not in sympathy with his fight for decency and good government, he was loudly cheered. Applause of several minutes' duration followed Lyon's speech.

How doth the busy little fly
Improve each shining minute,
And where he finds an apple pie
Plant micro-millions in it.

REFORMS DESIRED IN COTTON EXPORT

American Exchanges Adopt Resolutions With Reference to Arbitrating Claims

Liverpool, Bremen and Havre Asked to Join in Movement for More Satisfactory Handling of Business.

New York, July 19.—A change in present methods used by foreign cotton exchanges in arbitrating claims, growing out of cotton shipments abroad, looking to more equitable treatment of American interests, was strongly recommended by a conference of representatives of 41 cotton exchanges of this country held at the New York Cotton Exchange today.

Resolutions were adopted setting forth the reforms desired by the American cotton exchanges and these resolutions were sent to the Liverpool Cotton Association and to the Bremen and Havre cotton exchanges for consideration. George W. Neville, president of the New York Cotton Exchange, who is to sail for Europe next week, was authorized to use his efforts while abroad to bring about a conference of all European and American exchanges early in 1913 in an endeavor to arrive at some working agreement in time for the crop of 1913-1914.

The resolutions regarding the proposed reforms in arbitration, as adopted, follow:

"That Liverpool, Bremen and Havre arbitration and appeal committee be composed of salaried employes of such exchanges who shall be expert cotton classers; shall give their entire time to such work and have no other interest in any way connected with cotton.

"Unless otherwise stipulated in the contract, arbitration on quality should be conducted on the basis of official differences ruling in the respective receiving markets on the dates of sale.

"Application for arbitration to be dated, and sealed arbitration samples sent to arbitration committee within ten days of last date of landing.

"An arbitration must be held within 20 days from date of application; that Havre be requested to adopt the Liverpool and Bremen method of duplicate sealed samples. That present ruling of allowing three points for differences between American uncompressed samples and foreign re-drawn compressed samples be changed to an allowance of one-quarter of middling and above, and one-half grade on grades below middling, same to be deducted from any award made and not to be considered in making the award.

"We recommend that all cotton interests work toward the adoption of a standard of classification for American cotton of all growth which shall be world-wide.

"That in all cases when any shipments are tared by the receiver, if no excess tare is established, all tarring charges must be paid by the receiver, including the seller's supervision expenses.

"That examination of bales for excess tare must be conducted at the time of weighing said bales and that in weighing the tare, allowance must be made for any moisture therein.

"That where cotton is arbitrated and penalties assessed in addition to grade differences, the seller shall have the option of accepting, rejection and replacing in receiving markets within two weeks with quality sold.

"The seller shall not be required to pay any arbitration fees except where the allowances exceed double the amount of such fees.

"In the adjustment of weights outturned, and in the event of cotton being tared, any deficiency of actual tare from tare agreed upon, shall be deducted from any claim for loss in weight on such shipments.

"We request the Liverpool Association to rescind the antiquated rule in regard to double draft.

"That the Liverpool, Bremen and Havre exchanges be requested to allow ten days to appeal from arbitration."

ROOSEVELT WHITE LEAGUE.

Georgia Republican Progressives Want Lily White Affair.

Atlanta, Ga., July 19.—A resolution demanding "a white party, a white convention and dominance by white men alone," was adopted at a meeting here tonight of the Georgia Roosevelt White League.

The meeting was held in response to a call of its president, St. Julien Yates, issued the day after a call for a convention to be held in Atlanta, July 25th, was issued from the National Progressive headquarters.

With the exception of the adoption of the resolution in regard to negro voters, the league extended the olive branch to the so-called rival faction in the State.

By a unanimous vote, the platform issued in connection with the call from the National Progressive headquarters was adopted. A committee of twenty also was appointed to attend a meeting of the National Progressives next Monday, and an effort will be made to secure harmony between the factions at that time.

STEEL INVESTIGATION

Committee Fails to Reach Report—The Chairman's Views

Washington, July 19.—After a session lasting until midnight majority members of the House Steel Trust Investigating Committee failed to reach an agreement upon their report to Congress, the chief contention existing over the section of the report written by the chairman, Representative Stanley, of Kentucky, on the absorption by the United States Steel Corporation of the Tennessee Coal & Iron Company in 1907. Representative Littleton, of New York, was reported to be particularly opposed to some of the chairman's conclusions.

Some features of the report upon which the committee are agreed include bills for remedial legislation, particularly that amending the Sherman anti-trust law. This will declare all restraint of trade to be "unreasonable" and put upon defendant corporations the burden of proof that they are "reasonable." It will also grant to individuals the right to intervene in suits and to recover damages from corporations adjudged guilty of violating the anti-trust laws.

The report will disapprove of the so-called "Gary dinners" characterizing them as "just as effective in dominating prices as old pools and agreements."

The plan suggested by Elbert H. Gary, chairman of the board of directors of the United States Steel Corporation, for Federal regulation of trusts the report will disapprove, calling it "semi-socialistic impacticable and unconstitutional."

CLOTHES WILL BE HIGHER.

Prices Will be Advanced Next Year It is Reported.

New York, July 19.—The price of clothes is going to be advanced next year. This increased tax on the already high cost of living is clearly indicated, merchants say, by the prices named by leading producers of cloth, who have lifted the prices for the Spring of 1913 season from 7 1-2 to 20 cents a yard above those which prevailed last year when the values for the past Spring season were announced.

How much the merchant tailor or the retail clothier will charge the consumer because of the advances that have taken place can not be stated accurately because there is every likelihood that the quotations just made will be further advanced before the season is very old.

Cloth prices are higher for the next Spring season, agents say, because of conditions over which the manufacturers have no control. They say that the most important element that brought about the advance is that the domestic wool clip this year is about 30,000,000 pounds smaller than a year ago. The price of wool has also gone up abroad, while mill owners say that the high scale of wages and the shorter working hours will also have their effect on the increased price of cloth.

MEXICAN MASSACRES

Passengers Tell of Bloody Scenes In Dolores Pass

Juarez, Mexico, July 19.—Passengers arriving over the Mexican Northwestern from Madera today brought stories of a bloody massacre of rebels in Dolores Pass, southwest of Madera, at the entrance to the State of Sonora.

They declared that the vanguard of the column commanded by General Antonio Rojas, was caught in a canyon at Dolores by nearly 1,000 Yaqui Indians and that of 500 rebels less than 200 returned to Madera.

That a force of government volunteers was operating behind Dolores to prevent an entrance of the rebels from Sonora was generally known here but it was not believed any Yaqui Indians were enlisted in the cause of the government except the six hundred fighting for General Sarjines at Colonia Oaxaca in northern Sonora. Federal officials in El Paso preferred to await more definite advices before commenting on the report.

TRUST COMPANY FAILS

Augusta Concern Was Unable to Liquidate Assets

Augusta, Ga., July 19.—Inability to realize quickly on assets when an unexpected run came, was given as the cause for the failure today of the Citizens Trust Company, by its manager, M. C. Dowling. Assignment was made tonight to Sam H. Myers, attorney, who will liquidate the business.

The bank formerly was the Citizens Bank and was capitalized at $50,000, which later was increased to $100,000. The liabilities are listed at $250,000 with assets aggregating $300,000. It is said all claims will be liquidated dollar for dollar.

An unexpected run on the bank was precipitated yesterday and continued until 1 o'clock today when the institution closed its doors.

The run is said to have been precipitated by rumors that the bank was weak. The institution was not a member of the local clearing house.

THE FORESTY SERVICE

Senator Overman Wants The Expenditures Inquired Into

Washington, July 19.—An investigation of expenditures in the foresty service by a special committee is asked in a resolution today by Senator Overman, of North Carolina. The committee would sit during the recess of Congress.

The Overman resolution was referred to the committee on contingent expenses. It was inspired by reports of abuses.

"I am informed," said the North Carolina Senator, "that duplications of payments have occurred; that more officials are employed than needed; and that timber lands are being denuded more rapidly than before the service was established."

TAFT AND FRIENDS TO ASSAIL TEDDY

Will Controvert Some of Roosevelt's Chicago Convention Charges

SOUTHERN STATES CONTESTS

Will Carry Fight Into House of Representatives—Seating of Delegates—Senator Root May Be President's Spokesman

Washington, July 19.—The reply of President Taft and his friends to Colonel Roosevelt's repeated charges of "fraud" and the "stealing of delegates" in the Chicago convention, promises to be loosed from several sources in Washington next week, couched in terms that will be in many ways a counter attack upon the Roosevelt pre-convention campaign.

The statement that will be issued from the White House the final draft of which was considered at a two-hours meeting of the cabinet today, will be an exhaustive analysis of the contest cases and a reply to all of the Roosevelt charges of unfair dealing on the part of Taft's friends on the Republican National Committee and the Credentials Committee.

"While this statement will not, so far as can now be learned, make any direct charges against the Roosevelt managers, it is understood that Taft supporters in the House propose to attack in unmeasured terms the contests brought by the Roosevelt forces in Southern States, many of which were unanimously decided against the Roosevelt contestants."

Representative Frank W. Mondel, of Wyoming, who was a member of the Credentials Committee at the Chicago convention, will make one of the chief speeches defending the seating of the Taft delegates at Chicago. While his speech will deal principally with the cases of the 72 delegates against whom the Roosevelt forces made their chief fight at Chicago, he let it be known today that he would attack the Roosevelt contests in Southern States, and attempt to show that they had been brought "without foundation."

Representative Bartholdt, of Missouri, who participated in the work of the National Committee, will also defend the action of that Committee. Senator Root had been suggested as the spokesman for the Taft forces in the Senate, but he said today he did not expect to speak upon the subject of the Chicago contest decisions.

CANAL READY, JAN. 1, 1915.

Seventh-eights of Necessary Excavation Completed in Panama

Washington, July 19.—More than seven-eights of the excavation work on the Panama canal has been completed. On June 1, according to the canal record, 22,053,815 cubic yards, or less than one-eighth of the total amount of earth and rock to be taken out of the canal route, remained to be be excavated.

At the rate the great steam shovels are working this certainly can be done in time to have the waterway ready for opening on schedule, January 1, 1915.

OUTLINES

Congress yesterday passed finally and the President will sign a bill prohibiting the transportation of moving pictures of any prize fight from one State to another.

President Taft and his friends are preparing a vigorous reply to the Roosevelt charges of fraud in connection with the Chicago convention.

Judge Archbald appeared in the House yesterday and was given until July 29th to answer the impeachment charges preferred against him.

The House Committee on Elections yesterday voted to unseat Representative Theron E. Catlin, Republican, of Missouri, because it was disclosed that his relatives had spent approximately $13,000 in his election; Patrick Gill (Democrat), was seated in his place.

The House having passed the conference report on the Rivers and Harbors bill, the measure will now go to the President for his signature.

Private detectives have been brought into the case of Rosenthal, who was murdered following charges of police partnership with gamblers in New York. The price placed upon Rosenthal's head is said to have been $2,000.

Governor Wilson spent a quiet day at his Summer home yesterday, receiving a few callers and devoting himself to his correspondence.

Leading American cotton exchanges have adopted resolutions looking to a better and more satisfactory adjustment of cotton arbitrations on foreign markets.

New York markets: Money on call, steady, at 2 1-2 to 3 per cent.; ruling rate, 2 3-4; time loans, steady; four, steadier, with wheat spot firm; No. 2, red, 1.06 1-2 to 1.08 1-2, elevator, export basis, and export, 1.08 1-2 f.o.b. afloat to arrive; corn, spot, easy, export and afloat; spot coton closed quiet, 20 points higher; rosin, quiet; turpentine, easy.

Will Reply to Charges of Fraud

EMPLOY PRIVATE DETECTIVES

Rosenthal Murder in New York Brings on Charges of Police Partnership With Gambling Fraternity—Investigation Occurs.

New York, July 19.—Private detectives were brought into the Rosenthal murder case today by District Attorney Whitman. They were engaged by a committee of citizens who shared the prosecutor's evident dissatisfaction with the lack of results achieved by the police in tracing the slayers of the gambler who was shot after making charges of police partnership with the gambling fraternity.

In connection with the bringing in of these outside agencies of investigation, attention was called to what were declared to be lamentable omissions by the police in guarding against the escape of Rosenthal's slayers Monday night and lack of properly directed activity since. It is declared that the story that Rosenthal was to be killed was in wide circulation in East Side resorts Monday evening, but that if any report of it reached headquarters no measures were taken to protect the gambler. It was also commented on that six policemen nearby did not fire a shot or blow a whistle to stop the murder party after the shooting, that the number of the "murder car" was reported four different ways—all erroneous—by as many policemen, while a citizen got it right; that it left to the district attorney to uncover most of the evidence of importance so far available; that men known to have talked over the prospective assassination of Rosenthal the day before it occurred, while on an outing, either have not been arrested, or were taken and let go on small bail, or, in the case of one, held only because the district attorney insisted upon it.

The independent course of the district attorney was indicated today when he summoned Louis Libby and William Shapiro, owners of the automobile used by the murder party, and heard them make what would be important disclosures in connection with the theory of connection between the murder and the police "system." Neither Mr. Whitman nor Assemblyman Maron Levy, counsel for the two men, would discuss what Libby and Shapiro had revealed. Mr. Levy said he and Mr. Whitman had agreed to give out no further information. Not long before, however, the lawyer had had a two-hour conference with his clients, and made a brief statement regarding it.

"They have told me things that I did not know of before," he said. "If Mr. Whitman desires to hear my clients he will learn of disclosures which will make the public gasp, when they are published."

"Do the disclosures lead up to the police department?" was asked.

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JUDGE ARCHBALD ARRAIGNED

Appeared Before Impeachment Court Of Senate Yesterday—Bailey, Reed, Simmons and Others Urge Immediate Action

Washington, July 19.—Judge Robert W. Archbald, of the United States Commerce Court, charged with misconduct by the House of Representatives, appeared before the impeachment court of the Senate today and was given until July 29th to answer the impeachment charges made against him.

In the 35 minutes that he stayed in the Senate while the preliminary arrangements for his trial were being made, Judge Archbald took no personal part in the proceedings. His attorney, A. S. Worthington, of Washington, conducted affairs for him, aided by his son and associate attorney, Robert W. Archbald, Jr., of Philadelphia. The managers on the part of the House are required to file their reply to Judge Archbald's answer by August 1st, and all pleadings in the case must be completed by August third.

The time for the opening of the impeachment trial itself remains a subject of wide division in the Senate, Senator Bailey in the proceedings of the impeachment court today, asserted his determination to urge an immediate trial.

"The reasons why the case should speedily be disposed of are obvious," said Senator Bailey tonight. "Judge Archbald is sitting on the bench and he ought to be relieved at once of the charges against him, or of the duties of his judicial office. The Senate should act promptly on the charges made by the House, and I am going to insist on action before adjournment."

Notwithstanding this attitude on the part of Senator Bailey, which is shared by Senators Reed, Simmons and some other prominent Democrats, the majority of the Senate, including many Democrats, favor the continuance of the case until November.

NEW BATTLESHIP RECORD.

Big Gun Ships Must Take Off Hats to Wyoming.

Rockland, Me., July 19.—All speed records for big gun battleships were broken today by the new United States battleship Wyoming, sister ship of the super-dreadnought Arkansas, during her standardization trials. Her speed of 22.04 knots is declared by naval experts aboard to be the fastest ever made by any battleship in the world carrying 12-inch guns.

The Wyoming made the customary 23 standardization runs over the measured mile course.

The vessel is 99 per cent. completed, and it is expected will be put in commission about the middle of August.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS AN EXTRAVAGANCE

Severe Criticisms of Government Methods By House Committee Expenditures

AN OPEN DOOR TO GRAFT

Should be Limited to Cities of Not Less Than 50,000—Should be Standardization of Construction.

Washington, July 19.—Severe criticism of the government methods of erecting public buildings is contained in the report of the House Committee on Expenditures in Public Buildings, which Chairman Cyrus Cline, of Indiana, submitted to the House today.

The committee points out extravagance and waste and the possibilities of fraud in public expenditures, after making it clear that its investigations were made with no desire to discover any scandal in the public service. The committee makes the recommendation that government buildings be standardized and endeavors to point out what is considers the folly of maintaining a big force of draughtsmen and architects to make plans for every building constructed by the government. The reports finds that since 1902, 721 buildings have been erected and there are now pending bills for 750 buildings to cost an aggregate of $70,000,000.

"If this keeps up," the committee says, "there will be 1,520 public buildings inside of 10 years."

The cost of maintenance alone will be $11,000,000 annually.

The office of the supervising architects of the treasury is criticised. This office is maintained at a cost of $3,000,000 annually. It has had no definite policy, the committee finds, and blame is attached to former Supervising Architect James Knox Taylor, for some of the mistakes that have been discovered. The committee says the present system of awards is bad and should be changed. It points to instances where contractors have been the beneficiaries of "extras" and "betterments" when Mr. Taylor dominated the board. Without making any charges the committee says: "Under the present method of awarding contracts for the construction of public buildings there is an open door for the grossest kind of fraud."

The committee urges that members of Congress be less zealous in their efforts to get public buildings for their districts and recommends legislation making it illeal to erect a public building in any city of less than 50,000 inhabitants or whose postoffice takes less than $10,000 annually. The practice of employing outside architects is condemned.

In its comment on the administration of Supervising Architect Taylor the committee says, "Mr. Taylor cannot escape blame."

Space is given to the recommendations of Assistant Secretary of the Treasury R. O. Bailey and the committee endeavors to point out that the erection of government buildings cannot receive proper attention by the assistant secretary of the treasury because of the multiplicity of duties assigned to that official.

HAVE PAID DEPARTMENT.

Raleigh to Purchase Apparatus and Put in New System—Abattoir.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 19—The Raleigh aldermen tonight decided to sell 80 acres of the 120-acre farm the city owns just south of the city and install an abattoir that is modern in every particular. The aldermen also took further action for the immediate purchase by the fire committee of a board of apparatus for a complete fire department, apparatus to include three combination hose and chemical automobile wagons and a machine for the chief of the department in connection with the change to a complete paid department. The negro Victor Hose Company that has been in service for over 20 years, will be abolished as it is considered impracticable to have a negro division of a paid department. For fire department apparatus $35,000 will be expended. The aldermen expect to realize upwards of $20,000 from the sale of the city farm. The sale is to be at auction.

NO MORE FIGHT PICTURES.

Congress Prevents Shipment From One State to Another.

Washington, July 19.—Prize fight moving pictures today became a thing of the past in the United States when the House passed a Senate bill prohibiting the transportation of such moving picture films between the various States and Territories or from foreign countries. Heavy fines for violation of the proposed law are fixed by the bill. The President, said to be in complete sympathy with the legislation, is expected to affix his signature to the measure. Southern members of Congress were especially interested in the proposed law, because of the race feeling stirred up by the exhibition of the Jeffries-Johnson moving pictures in their section of the country.

Senator Simmons, of North Carolina, and Representative Sims, of Tennessee, pressed the bill in the Senate and House.

SPORTING EVENTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At Pittsburg, 4; New York, 5.
Second—Pittsburg, 3; New York, 4.
At Cincinnati, 3; Boston, 2.
At Chicago, 0; Philadelphia, 4.
At St. Louis, 6; Brooklyn, 4.

Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
New York	60	21	.742
Chicago	49	31	.613
Pittsburg	47	33	.588
Cincinnati	43	41	.512
Philadelphia	38	39	.493
St. Louis	36	50	.419
Brooklyn	31	51	.378
Boston	23	61	.286

Pittsburg, July 19.—New York and Pittsburg each won a game today by identical scores of 5 to 4. O'Toole was unsteady in the first, Warner relieving him after the third inning. Marquard was strong throughout. In the second game Ames was hit freely, Crandall succeeding him.

Pittsburg .. ..002 000 011—4 10 2
New York .. ..004 000 001—5 4 2

O'Toole, Warner and Simon; Marquard and Myers. Time 2:10. Umpires Owens and Brennan.

Second game—

Pittsburg .. ....002 300 00x—5 10 1
New York .. ..002 020 000—4 8 0

Hendrix and Gibson; Ames, Crandall and Myers. Time 1:36. Umpires Brennan and Owens.

St. Louis, July 19.—St. Louis mixed bases on balls with hits and won from Brooklyn again this afternoon 6 to 4. Huggins' fielding and batting were features.

Brooklyn .. ....012 010 000—4 7 1
St. Louis .. ..050 000 01x—6 8 0

Curtis, Allen and Miller; Willis, Steele, Sallee and Bresnahan. Time 2:20. Umpires Johnstone and Eason.

Cincinnati, July 19.—Cincinnati defeated Boston despite some excellent pitching on the part of Tyler. Boston could not hit Humphries in the pinches while five errors by Boston helped largely in Cincinnati's run-getting.

Boston .. .. ..000 001 100—2 8 5
Cincinnati .. ..000 201 00x—3 5 2

Tyler and Kling; Humphries and McLean. Time 1:42. Umpires Klem and Bush.

Chicago, July 19.—Eppa Rixey, a Virginia recruit "had everything in the pitching line today," and Chicago was shut out by Philadelphia 4 to 0. Rixey allowed the locals but three hits, two of which were singles in the ninth. In one inning, after walking a man he struck out the next three batsmen.

Chicago .. ..000 000 000—0 3 0
Philadelphia . ..102 000 001—4 10 0

Lavender, Richie and Archer; Rixey and Killifer. Time 1:50. Umpires Rigler and Finneran.

South Atlantic League

At Jacksonville 1; Albany 0.
At Savannah 4; Columbia 1.
At Columbus 1; Macon 0.

Southern League

At Mobile 3; Chattanooga 1.
At Montgomery 1; Memphis 3.
At New Orleans 0; Atlanta 2.
At Birmingham 3; Nashville 4.

Carolina League

At Winston-Salem 2; Anderson 1 (Called sixth, rain.)
At Charlotte 3; Spartanburg 0.
At Greenville 2; Greensboro 4.

Virginia League

At Petersburg 1; Norfolk 4.
At Roanoke 5; Newport News 3.
At Richmond 4; Portsmouth 5.

Appalachian League

At Asheville-Bristol, rain.
At Morristown 0; Cleveland 5.
At Knoxville-Johnson City, rain.

American Association

At Minneapolis-Indianapolis, rain.
At Milwaukee 7; Toledo 10.
At Kansas City1; Toledo 4.
At St. Paul 3; Louisville 7.

International League

At Baltimore 12; Jersey City 0.
At Rochester 2; Toronto 12.
At Buffalo 10; Montreal 2.
At Providence 16; Newark 9.

CAROLINA ASSOCIATION.

Results Yesterday:

At Winston-Salem, 2; Anderson, 1 (called 6th; rain).
At Charlotte, 3; Spartanburg, 0.
At Greenville, 2; Greensboro, 4.

Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Anderson	44	27	.620
Charlotte	42	29	.592
Winston-Salem	40	33	.548
Spartanburg	32	40	.444
Greensboro	33	40	.452
Greenville	26	48	.351

RICHLAND VS. JACKSONVILLE

Sturdy Warriors From Onslow Go Down In Defeat

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Jacksonville, N. C., July 19.—A game featured with many good plays and especially good pitching was played here yesterday afternoon between Richlands and Jacksonville. The game was of the tip-toe kind up until the seventh inning as at that time the score was a tie 2 and 2, at the beginning of the seventh, Basden relieved Grimsley in the box for Richlands and the batting began at once, and when that inning had been finished the score stood 8 to 3 in favor of Jacksonville.

More scores were made in the 8th and 9th innings and at the end of the game the score stood 11 to 3 in favor of Jacksonville.

Hargett and Ambrose starred at the bat, each getting four hits out of five times up, one of the Ambrose hits being a home run, one of Hargett's a two-bagger.

Gilman pitched steady ball throughout the game, and simply had the visitors at his mercy.

Batteries, for Jacksonville, Gilman and Newell; for Richlands, Grimsley, Basden and Barbee.

WALLACE TRIMS ROSE HILL

Got Big End of Score In Fast Game On Home Grounds

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wallace, N. C., July 19.—In a pretty game of baseball played on the home diamond this afternoon Wallace defeated the Rose Hill nine, score 6 to 7. The Wallace slabman was especially effective, allowing only four bingles to the visitors. Score:

Wallace 7 9 2
Rose Hill 6 4 3

Batteries: Whitfield, Hussey and Barton; Jones, Hatcher and Hall. Attendance, 200.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At New York, 4; Cleveland, 3 (10 innings).
At Washington, 5; St. Louis, 1.
Second: Washington, 10; St. Louis, 1.
At Philadelphia, 6; Detroit, 8.
Second: Philadelphia, 14; Detroit, 6.
At Boston, 8; Chicago, 0.
Second—Boston, ; Chicago, 1 (12 innings).

Standing of the Clubs.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Boston	60	27	.690
Washington	54	34	.614
Philadelphia	49	37	.570
Chicago	45	39	.536
Cleveland	43	44	.494
Detroit	42	45	.483
St. Louis	25	59	.298
New York	23	56	.291

Boston, July 19.—Boston won both games of a double-header from Chicago today, but was forced to go 12 innings in the second. Hooper's double on top of Bedient's single decided a pitchers' battle between Bedient and Cicotte, 2 to 1 in the second game. Chicago supported the former Boston twirler wretchedly. In the first game Ray Collins had the White Sox at his mercy, shutting them out, while his teammates piled up eight runs by hitting Benz and by Chicago misplays. Bodie struck out five times during the day.

Boston .....012 020 21x—8 9 0
Chicago .....000 000 000—0 6 7

R. Collins and Carrigan; Benz, Bell and Kuhn; time 1:42; umpires Connolly and Hart.

Second Game:

Boston .....010 000 000 001—2 8 2
Chicago ....000 010 000 000—1 8 6

Bedient and Carrigan; Cicotte and Sullivan; time 2:25.

New York, July 19.—New York won from Cleveland today in the 10th inning, 4 to 3. Ford and Blanding fought out a clever pitching duel. In the 10th, with two out, Simmons doubled, Blanding purposely passed Hartzell to take a chance at Martin, and the latter drove in Simmons with a clean single to left field.

Cleveland .....002 000 0100—3 10 2
New York .....000 200 0101—4 9 2

Blanding and Easterly; Ford and Sweeney; time 2:12; umpires Dineen and Sheridan.

Philadelphia, July 19.—Cobb's batting again featured the double-header here today in which Detroit won the first game 8 to 6 and Philadelphia the second 14 to 6. In the first game Cobb made three singles and two home runs out of five times at bat, his second four bagger winning the game.

In the second game he made a single and a triple, giving him seven successive hits for a total of 15 bases. Detroit fielded very poorly in both games.

Detroit .....002 002 022—8 12 6
Philadelphia ....202 010 010—6 10 0

Willett and Stanage; Brown, Pennock and Lapp; time 2:10; umpires O'Loughlin and Egan.

Second game:

Detroit .....000 200 040— 6 10 6
Philadelphia ...342 113 00x—14 14 1

Works, Moran, Donovan and Stanage and Onslow; Houck and Thomas; time 2:05.

Washington, July 19.—Washington defeated St. Louis in both games of today's double-header by the scores of 5 to 1 and 10 to 1. Groom outpitched Powell in the first game, while Cashion was effective, though wild in the second game. Hamilton taking his place and going well.

St. Louis .....010 000 000—1 7 2
Washington ....010 040 00x—5 9 0

Powell and Stephens; Groom and Williams; time 1:30; umpires Evans and Westervelt.

Second Game:

St. Louis .....010 000 000— 1 6 3
Washington ...023 410 00x—10 10 2

C. Brown, Hamilton and Snell; Cashion and Ainsmith; time 1:15.

THE M'NAUGHTON CASE.

Convicted Murderer Ready to Assist Lawyers With the Appeal.

Savannah, July 19.—Although Dr. T. J. McNaughton, the Emanuel county murderer convicted of slaying Frederick Flanders by the administration of strychnine, has been denied, a new trial by the Supreme Court of Georgia, he has not yet given up his fight for life. It is now stated that an effort will be made to get his case before the United States Supreme Court. If this is done it will mean a delay of several months, even if his petition is turned down at Washington.

The next move in the McNaughton case will be his being taken to Swainsboro for resentencing. As soon as this is done there will be given notice of the appeal to the Federal court, and this will act as a stay and prevent the execution upon the date set.

Dr. McNaughton's case has been to the Federal court once, but the point raised was never argued, the case being withdrawn, pending the determination of an extraordinary motion for a new trial filed in the Georgia courts. This having failed, Dr. McNaughton can now go back to Uncle Sam with a plea to save his life.

This has been the hardest fought case of its kind that south Georgia has seen in a long time. Dr. McNaughton, although he gave slight evidence of having lost his nerve when the Supreme Court decided against him last week, has recovered his composure and is ready to give his attorneys all the assistance he can toward getting the Federal courts to assume jurisdiction in his case.

BUSH LEAGUE GIVES UP

Southeastern Short on Gate Receipts —Planning for 1913

Anniston, Ala., July 19.— With the Huntsville, Anniston, Bessemer and Rome teams disbanded, the 1912 season of the Southeastern League of Baseball Clubs ended prematurely here today. It is stated that the clubs were forced to disband because of light gate receipts and high salaries asked by the players. Announcement was made that the league will be reorganized next season on a more conservative basis.

JAPANESE EMPEROR ILL.

His Majesty Suffering From Affection of Stomach and Brain.

Tokio, Japan, July 20.—Emperor Mutsuhito is critically ill. His Majesty is suffering from affection of the stomach and brain. He was unconscious Friday.

WAREHOUSES INVOLVED

Attorney General Brought Test Case, Stevenson and McLaurin Defense

Columbia, S. C., July 19.—The Supreme Court in a decision today in a decision by Chief Justice Gary and concurred in by all the justices sitting on the case declared the cotton warehouse act of the last General Assembly to be null and void.

The warehouse commissioners—J. W. McCown, T. L. Clinkscales and John S. Horlbeck—are restrained from attempting to carry the provisions of the act into effect. The act provided for an appropriation of $250,000 for the erection of a system of warehouses to store cotton.

The case to test the constitutionality of the measure was brought by Attorney General Lyon as provided in the act. The constitutionality of the act was defended by W. F. Stevenson, of Cheraw, and John L. McLaurin, of Bennettsville.

The act was entitled "an act to create and operate a State warehouse system for storing cotton and other commodities," and carried with it an appropriation of $250,000 for putting its provisions into effect. At the time of its passage its opponents contended it was unconstitutional, but it passed and received the signature of the Governor. The case was carried to the Supreme Court by the Attorney General in order that the matter might be definitely settled.

The act was one of the most far-reaching pieces of legislation passed at the 1912 session. It provided that it shall be the duty of the State warehouse commission to provide, by purchase, lease or otherwise, a system of warehouses at the most eligible sites in this State, capable of storing not less than 250,000 bales of cotton.

The commission had been authorized by the act to issue coupon bonds to the amount of $250,000 to carry out the provisions of the act. The Supreme Court holds that the act would appropriate public revenues to private purposes, and that it also provides for an issue of bonds and an increase of the public debt without first submitting the question of the creation of such new debt to the qualified electors of this State at a general election, in violation of section 2, article 10 of the constitution.

The Georgia Legislature now has before it for consideration a similar measure.

TAFT TO THE NEGROES

They Sound Him Out on Federal Statute Against Lynching

Washington, July 19.—President Taft in a speech in the East room of the White House to a delegation from the National Civil and Political Negro League today publicly acknowledged his debt of gratitude to the negro delegates to the Republican National Convention pledged and instructed for him who stood with the Taft forces through the fight. "I want to say too," said the President, "how much I appreciate your standing firm in my behalf at a time when it was intimated to the country that we could not depend upon you. You demonstrated there your appreciation of the accomplishments of the Republican party for your race in the past and your abiding faith in its future friendships; you stood like a solid rock."

The delegation presented resolutions to the President asking for the restoration of the battalion of the 25th infantry that was involved in the Brownsville affair, and urging him to recommend a Federal statute against lynching. Mr. Taft said in reply that he had done everything possible under the law in regard to the 25th infantry. He deplored lynchings, he said, but did not believe that the Federal government could interefere in the States with criminal cases.

"I say to you, gentlemen," the President added, "that a man who has been engaged in a lynching within the Federal jurisdiction who comes up to me for executive clemency will have his petition received with that feeling on my part; that there is no crime that ought to be more severely punished and more completely condemned."

ATLANTA GOLF TOURNAMENT

First and Second Rounds of Match Play Completed

Atlanta, Ga., July 19.—The first and second rounds of match play in the five flights of the second annual invitation golf tournament of the Atlantic Athletic Club, was played today. Semi-fianls and finals in all events are scheduled for tomorrow.

Interesting matches in the semi-finals, as the result of today's play, include: S. Probasco, Chattanooga, against C. Knowles, Atlanta, and H. G. Scott, Atlanta, against G. H. Atkisson, Atlanta, in the first ight.

In the second flight E. B. Crawford, Birmingham, plays A. Davidson and E. W. Martin, Chattanooga, plays W. P. Ward, Birmingham.

In the third flight, E. F. Mayberry, Charleston, plays I. L. Graves, Atlanta, and G. N. Blanton, Mexico City, plays H. C. Moore, Atlanta.

The fourth and fifth flights will be contested only by local players.

OLYMPIC ROWING REGATTA.

Finals of Single Sculls Decided Yesterday—Englishman Won Event.

Stockholm, July 19.—The finals of the single sculls in the rowing regatta of the Olympic games was decided today. The event was won by the Englishman Kinnear, who defeated Vearman, of Belgium. The Britisher led throughout the race, and four lengths in front at the finish. Time 7 minutes 47.3 seconds. In the final heat for outrigged four-oared boats the Ludwigshafen four beat the crew of the Thames Rowing Club by 2 1-2 lengths. Time, six minutes 59 2-5 seconds. In the final of the eight-oared outriggers, the Leander crew defeated New College by one length. Time, 6 minutes 15.7 seconds.

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THE EXCURSIONISTS

Johnson City Party Returned This Morning—Erroneous Report

After a delightful trip through one of the most picturesque sections of the State and after a sojourn of a couple of days in the mountains of Tennessee and Virginia, the party of Johnson City excursionists which left here Tuesday morning, returned to Wilmington shortly after midnight this morning.

Early last evening there was much anxiety in the city over a report from Charlotte that a Johnson City excursion train had been wrecked near Bristol, Va., many people gaining the idea that it was the Wilmington excursion which was wrecked. Fortunately it was not the Wilmington party, but another to the same territory. The Star office was besieged with telephone calls, asking for information. A telegram was immediately sent to Supt. W. A. Gore, of the Seaboard, at Hamlet, inquiring for particulars and a short time later, The Star was pleased to receive the following from Capt. J. Cullen Jones, manager of the excursion, which had reached Hamlet by that time:

"Hamlet, N. C., July 19th:
"Wilmington Star, Wilmington, N. C.

"Your wire to superintendent in regard to wreck of Johnson City excursion. We have no wreck and trust to the Lord that we will not have any. Hope to reach Wilmington 12:10 A. M., with everybody rejoicing over the trip.

"J. C. JONES."

MR. M. G. CHADWICK DEAD.

Passed Away Yesterday Afternoon at Home on Castle Haynes Road.

Friends will deeply regret to learn of the death of Mr. Melzer G. Chadwick, which occurred at his home on the Castle Haynes road, about three miles from the city, yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, following an illness of some time. Mr. Chadwick sustained a stroke of paralysis some time ago and a second stroke Thursday afternoon, sinking rapidly after that time.

The deceased was 69 years old and is survived by his widow, two daughters, Mrs. Baldwin, of this city, and Mrs. Pharr, of the Castle Haynes section, and one son, Mr. Albert Chadwick, of Hampstead, all of whom will have the sympathy of many friends in their great bereavement.

Mr. Chadwick was a brave Confederate veteran, having fought valiently through the War Between the States. He was in the battle of Fort Fisher and was among those captured when it fell. He was also a lifelong member of the Methodist church and was a man of Christian principles and noble character.

The funeral will be held this morning at 11 o'clock from the family residence. Rev. W. L. Rexford, pastor of the Bladen Street Methodist church this city, will conduct the services. Interment will be made in the Ocorn Branch burying ground.

CONCERTS AT CAROLINA

Attractive Programmes for Sunday Afternoon and Evening

The afternoon and evening concerts at Carolina Beach by the Airdome orchestra on Sundays are proving extremely popular since the custom was inaugurated several weeks ago, and large crowds are attracted by the music each Sunday. Two attractive programmes have been prepared for tomorrow afternoon and night. They are as follows:

Afternoon—4 P. M.

March, "Tartar of the Navy" ..Cobb
Overture, "Pique Dance".... ..Suppe
Walt, "Gipsy Love" ....Lehar
Sacred Song, "Crucifix" .... ..Foure
Down Home Rag ....Sweetman
Humoresque ....Dvorak
Violin Solo, "Serenade".. .....Drdla
Two Step, "Skipper Susie Green"....
....Ransay

Night—7 P. M.

Turkish Towel Rag ....Allen
Grand Selection from "Cavaleria Rusticanni" ....Mascagni
Waltz, "Love's Torment".. ..Caruso
March, "Victor Herbert" .. ....Carr

Real Estate Transfers

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: Fannie G. Pritchard and others to L. W. Davis, for $10 and other considerations, lot 5 in Villa View tract; H. W. Konig and wife to Chas. B. Parmele, for $100 and other considerations, lot on Eighth, 30 feet south of Howard street, 30x150 feet in size; Cornelius Hayes to B. Oscar Stone, Sr., for $500 and other considerations, lot on northwest corner of Brown and Taylor streets, 30 by 60 feet in size; Dr. Jno. C. Wessell and wife to W. E. Powell, for $100 and other considerations, lot on northeast corner of 13th and Glenn streets, 66x82 feet in size.

Blake Hearing Continued

The preliminary hearing of the case against C. T. Blake, a white man, who was arrested at his place at Whiskey Creek several days ago on a charge of violating the prohibition law, and which was set for yesterday before Justice Harriss, was continued until Monday on account of the fact that the witnesses in the case had not been summoned. Sheriff S. P. Coward and his deputies were on their way to summon the witnesses Thursday when his automobile caught fire and burned up on the Carolina Beach road, necessitating their return to the city by way of the steamer Wilmington.

CLAUDE ALLEN TRIAL.

Five Jurors and Surveyor Heard at Wytheville Yesterday.

Wytheville, Va., July 19.—Five of the jurors who convicted Floyd Allen, father of Claude, in the Carroll county court and whose verdict caused the shooting up of the court by the Allen clan, testified today in the trial of Claude Allen charged, with killing Commonwealth Attorney W. M. Foster. Their testimony was practically the same as that given at the former trials. Cyrus Phipps, the county surveyor, with the aid of maps, located for the jury the judge's stand and the positions of the various defendants as testified to by witnesses. Four other witnesses testified to alleged threats Floyd Allen had made against the court should he be given a penitentiary sentence in the case then on trial.

Don't Miss It.

Delightfully cool theatre; three pictures and good music by the orchestra at the Grand Theatre. **

..Theatrical..

Two feature pictures, a third just as good, but not featured, a delightfully cool and pleasant house and always splendid music by the orchestra are the elements which go to attract the crowds that are coming these days to Wilmington's premier vaudeville house, the Grand Theatre, on Front street. Since the reduction in price, the amusement loving public of Wilmington have shown their appreciation of the efforts of the Grand management and this is very gratifying.

The big feature for today is "Baby Betty", a story of the Civil War, depicting the humorous and pathetic incidents of this great struggle in a way that will not be offensive to either side during this great conflict. It is a picturesquenly beautiful story of the battlefield and of a little child. "Baby Betty" is the little "rebel" hero and the story will be found very pleasing especially to Southern people.

"Saved by Telephone" is a graphic description of the utility of this much abused instrument. This gripping story of modern times abounds with exciting episodes. A busy man has all kinds of trouble with the "receiver" down" and all that, but he finally triumphs in the end.

The third picture is a stock film and will give a comedy vein to the finished production in moveys for the Saturday crowds. Remember the house is always as cool as a cucumber, the orchestra has a special programme of music for each performance and no pains are spared to please each and every patron.

The New Bijou.

Five big films are offered by the New Bijou today. Think of that, fellow citizens, as the spell-binder would say. And these photoplays are going to be five of the latest, five of the rarest and five of the costliest ever offered anywhere. So it can be realized, with delight, that today is going to be one of tremendous entertainment at the New Bijou where, in addition to a new and swell show daily, a cool, invigorating atmosphere, with the freest kind of ventilation, is offered, and all for the tiny price of 5 cents—the price the Bijou inaugurated its career with and has maintained regardless of ever increasing expense, in big effort to give the people of Wilmington the very best.

The list of films will run the gamut of emotions today. There will be the greatest in the comedy line, "A Windy Dream," "Leah, the Telephone Girl," and "Life in Our Ponds," the greatest in the dramatic class, "Man's Genesis" and a masterpiece in the way of an educational film, "Venice, Italy."

This selection and collection will prove of wonderful entertaining power today at the Bijou. The film showing Venice furnishes a great lesson. It provides a feast for the vision and rich information for the mind.

But "Man's Genesis" is a really startling film. It is something out of the ordinary, being a departure from the conventional motion picture productions. It deals with a theme of grave importance—Darwin's argument as to the evolution of man.

Amusement lovers should jam the Bijou today, where they will find both joy and comfort.

Hurry Call to the Cutter

The United States Revenue Cutter Seminole, at her wharf here yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock, received a call from Fort Caswell, asking her assistance in going in search for a party of soldiers from the army post there, who had gone out in a fishing boat early Thursday morning and had not returned at that hour. The cutter was getting in readiness to proceed at once when a later message came through the offices of Messrs. Mafflitt & Wood, stating that after a very trying experience, the boat had put back to the fort and the cutter's services were not needed. No particulars were received other than those given.

Richmond, Va., July 19.—Circulars issued today by M. J. Caples, fourth vice-president of the Chesapeake and Ohio railway, announced that the office of the general manager had been vacated. E. W. Grice, heretofore general manager, is appointed assistant to the fourth vice-president.

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DAY'S DOINGS IN RALEIGH

Sam Watson Gets Commutation—Farmers' Union Banking Co.—Sunday Amusements—Dry Goods Firm Failed.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 19.—Sam Watson, who has served ten years of a 25-year sentence for second degree murder, receives a commutation from Governor Kitchin so that his service of sentence terminates at once. He was sent up from Chatham county. Most of the jurors, the county officers and many citizens ask for the commutation which is conditioned on good behavior.

The announcement is made at the State Department of Education that the members of the State Board of Examiners will meet August 5th for the purpose of announcing the names of the teachers who were successful in the recent examinations for certificates as high school teachers and for five year certificates as public school teachers. There will be no information available as to results of the examinations until August 5th. There were about 150 teachers who tried the examinations.

The Farmers' Union Banking Co., of Walnut Cove, was chartered today with $12,000 capital subscribed by J. Spot Taylor, Danbury; Jno. T. Joyce, Sandy Ridge, and 43 others of Walnut Cove, Sandy Ridge and numbers of other places in that section. General and savings banking business are specified.

Adjutant General R. L. Leinster has gone to Morehead for the encampment at Camp Glenn in progress there this week.

Numbers of farmers in this section have discovered a cotton blight developing in their fields that causes leaves to fall off at the joints and the plant finally to die out. It has not reached serious proportions as yet and the State Department of Agriculture is looking into the trouble.

It is announced that the management of Bloomsbury Park and the committee from the Raleigh Ministerial Association have reached an agreement whereby the park management will close down the roller coaster and merry-go-round features on Sundays. The Ministerial Association named a committee yesterday to take the matter up with the park people. The park has been wide open for several Sunday afternoons and evenings.

The Woollcott Dry Goods Co., of this city, filed proceedings in bankruptcy today, the assets and liabilities not being stated as yet. Walter Woollcott is principal owner of the business. The Woollcotts have been in business in Raleigh for many years.

The trustees of the University of North Carolina have formally confirmed the action of the special committee that selected Julius A. Warren, young banker of Durham, as treasurer to succeed the lamented Richard H. Battle, he to also take up the duties of bursar, resigned some time ago by Mr. Woltz. Mr. Warren will take up his residence at the University.

Jno. E. Smith, A. M., has been chosen by the trustees as assistant in geology; A. M. Atkinson, instructor in drawing, and Wilbur H. Royster, assistant in Latin. The trustees met last afternoon in the executive office of Governor Kitchin.

Seaboard Engineer W. L. Pate is recovering nicely at Rex Hospital here from the injuries he sustained at the Greystone siding when he fell from a box car of his freight train under the wheels of Passenger train No. 33, he having run his train on the siding for this train to pass, when the accident occurred.

The chief of the Raleigh fire department has made complaint that the committee of Masons in charge of the Grand Lodge Masonic Temple has never had the standpipe running through the seven stories of the temple to supply the hose on each floor for fighting fire, connected with the city water mains and the matter is being brought to the attention of the insurance authorities with a view to getting a ruling as to whether this is necessary in a practically fire proof building such as the temple is. The committee considered this an unnecessary expense and still insists that this connection and the hose connection as well are unnecessary. They will make the connections if the insurance authorities order it. The committee points out that the tenants in the building have known all along that this water connection was not made and really considered it unnecessary, as did the committee.

DEATH OF MRS. BLACKWELL

Esteemed Washington Lady Passes Away While on Visit

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, N. C., July 19.—News reached this city this morning of the death of Mrs. Laura E. Blackwell, one of Washington's prominent citizens at Fairfield, where she was visiting her brother, Mr. H. C. Carter. Mrs. Blackwell was ill only about one hour, dying from congestion. The deceased was 73 years of age and a consistent Christian woman. She is survived by a brother, Mr. H. C. Carter, of Fairfield; three nephews, D. M. Carter, Dr. H. W. Carter and H. C. Carter, Jr., of this city. Two nieces, Mrs. Georgie Studdht, of this city, and Mrs. Theo. Davidson, of Asheville.

ARCHITECTS IN SESSION

Officers Elected at Asheville—Meets Next at Charlotte

(Special Star Telegram.)

Asheville, N. C., July 19.—About 75 members of Virginia, North and South Carolina and Georgia Architectural Association are in convention here for the day. The feature of the morning session was an address by Glenn K. Crown, of Washington, secretary of the American Institute of Architects. The executive meeting was held this afternoon and visitors were driven over the city On the programme for tonight is an illustrated lecture by H. D. Dillon, of Chicago. The following officers were elected at the executive session: W. G. Rogers, Charlotte, president; V. H. Lord, Asheville, vice president; [illegible] Gordon, Charlotte, re-elected treasurer. These with L. L. Hunter, of Charlotte, are directors. The next meeting will be in Charlotte.

CONVENTIONS AT ASHEVILLE.

Hoo Hoos and Architects—Troop of Cavalry Being Organized.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Asheville, N. C., July 18.—This city has arrived at the period when it can entertain two conventions at the same time. Already the Hoo Hoos are in convention and tomorrow the delegates to the convention of the North Carolina Architectural Association convene at the Langren. This convention promises to be one of the most successful in the history of the organization. It is expected that at least 50 members will attend the convention and many of them will be accompanied by their wives or other members of the families. Nearly every town and city in the State will be represented. For some days arrangements have been going on for their entertainment, as business will be interspersed with pleasure. The committee on arrangement has been working on the programme for several days, but it has not yet been announced. However, there is assurance that some interesting subjects will be discussed and the social part of the programme has been given much attention. The convention will last for two days, Friday and Saturday, and it is said that a number of the members will remain over Sunday to visit the various points of interest in and around Asheville.

Robert B. Reynolds, of this city, has received authorization from Adjutant General Leinster for the organization of a cavalry company, which will be known as troop B, or unofficially as the "Governor's Horse Guards," in honor of Hon. Locke Craig, the Democratic nominee for Governor. It is thought that the enlistment will be complete by the latter part of August. Col. S. Westry Battle will be the enlisting officer.

Asheville has already two companies of infantry, the First regiment band and a hospital corps, and the cavalry troop will make this a military post.

MAN'S SKELETON FOUND

Probably Lost His Way In Smoky Mountains and Froze to Death

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Asheville, N. C., July 19.—The finding of the skeleton of a large man in the Smoky Mountains near the Tennessee line several rays ago by the woodsmen of the Ritter Lumber Co., at the Proctor camp, whose identity has not been established, but who is thought to have lost his way and frozen to death while following one of the trails across the State line, reminded one of the officials of the Ritter Co., who lives here that a number of people have come near being frozen in crossing these mountains. He told of a young man named Crisp, whose family lives near Proctor in Swain county. The young man had been working in a lumber camp in Tennessee and one cold day started to cross the mountains to visit his parents. In some way he lost his way and wandered about the mountains until darkness came on. It became colder as darkness descended and he was almost freezing when he came to an old rail fence. As it happened he had some matches with him, and after considerable trouble he was able to start a fire using some of the dry rails. He built it near the fence and crouched down in the corner so that some of the wind was turned away from him. Even with the fire he would have frozen, it is said, and he only kept from it by turning around continually all night and exposing one part of his body after the other to the blaze.

The skeleton found a few days ago appeared to be of a man about 50 years old and that he had been dead about six months.

JACKSONVILLE NEWS.

American Naval Stores Co., to Erect Plant—Court—Baseball.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Jacksonville, N. C., July 19.—Plans have been made for the erection of a plant here by the American Naval Stores Co., for the purpose of extracting and refining the various rich properties of the long leaf pine. This company has a plant now situated at Beaufort. Onslow county provides opportunity for this industry, not to be found in but few other sections of the country. For centuries the long leaf pine has grown here, and pine knots and the bodies of lightwood trees are often found deep in the earth; still sound, and containing the basis of many valuable products. There are, it is said, 17 different products that may be garnered from the pine. These range from tar, the most crude, to cold cream and perfumes, the most refined.

Dr. Carl Billfinger, of Beaufort, seems to be sponsor for the new enterprise. He has investigated the pine fields of Onslow, and the result of his investigation is so satisfactory to every requirement of the industry that the company will make Onslow one of its leading centers of operation. It is estimated that the plant to be erected here will cost in the neighborhood of $50,000.

When this factory is built, farmers who are encumbered with numerous lightwood stumps can blast their stumps out of the fields and market them off of the farm. There is no telling the value of the pine and lightwood products that are destroyed every year in this county in clearing land for agricultural purposes; but there still remains an inexhaustible supply for manufacturing uses.

Court has been in session here for this week. Only civil causes are being heard. Most of the week has been consumed with the trial of only one case, Roper Lumber Co., vs. Swain. The end of this trial is not yet in sight. It is a land litigation.

PRISON TERM FOR SCULPTOR.

His Work Adorns San Quentin, Place of Service.

John De Lew, sculptor of the group which surmounts the gates of San Quentin prison has been sentenced to four years in that prison here. He pleaded guilty to charges brought against him in preference to having them spread upon the court records. His bust of Gov. Hiram William Johnson adorns the State Capitol.

60 YEARS REPUTATION
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HESTER'S STATEMENT

Shows Increase In Movement of Intosight for the Week

New Orleans, July 19.—Secretary Hester's weekly cotton statement issued today shows an increase in the movement intosight compared with the seven days ending this date last year in round figures 8,000 and a decrease the same days year before last of 35,000.

For the 19 days of July the totals show an increase over last year of 29,000 and a decrease under the same period year before last of 20,000.

For the 323 days of the season the aggregate is ahead of the same 323 days last year of 3,599,000 and ahead of the same days year before last 5,056,000.

The movement since September 1st shows receipts at all United States ports 11,827,905, against 8,539,191 last year and 7,266,659 year before last. Overland across the Mississippi, Ohio and Potomac rivers to Northern mills and Canada, 977,224, against 929,929 last year and 820,056 year before last; interior stocks in excess of those held at the close of the commercial year 31,860, against 33,789 last year and 1,057 year before last; Southern mills takings 2,451,000, against 2,185,687 last year and 2,144,287 year before last.

The total movement since September 1st is 15,287,980, against 11,688,605 last year and 10,232,059 year before last.

The total takings of American mills, North, South and Canada, thus far for the season have been 4,868,180, against 4,293,496 last year. Stocks at the Seaboard and the 29 leading Southern interior centers have decreased during the week 43,836 bales, against a decrease during the corresponding period last season of 32,164. Including stocks left over at ports and interior towns from the last crop and the number of bales brought into sight thus far from the new crop the supply to date is 15,574,963, against 11,936,567 for the same period last year.

DEATH OF MRS. THOMPSON.

Wife of Bladen County Citizen Passes Away—The Funeral.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Abbottsburg, N. C., July 18.—Many friends of the family will read with regret of the death of Mrs. Margaret Thompson, wife of A. B. Thompson, which occurred at her home here Wednesday morning after an illness of only a few minutes. The realization of her passing so sudden came as a great shock to loved ones and friends. Mrs. Thompson was 45 years of age, and is survived by her husband and six children, three girls and three boys, as follows: Mr. John Smith, Misses Pattie and Merta, Cecil, Lennon, and James. Also her father, Mr. James S. Thompson, one brother and two sisters.

The funeral services were conducted Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock from Shady Grove Baptist church, of which the deceased has been a most devoted member since early girlhood, by Rev. R. L. Byrd, of Howellsville, assisted by Rev. L. B. Boney, of Lumberton, and interment was made in the family burial ground.

Mrs. Thompson was held in the highest esteem by all who knew her. No one knew her but to love her, and the bereaved ones have the sympathy of the entire community.

MRS. MORROW NOT GUILTY

Her Husband Found Dead on Back Porch, She Escapes

Chicago, July 19.—Mrs. Rene B. Morrow was tonight found not guilty of the murder of her husband, Charles B. Morrow. A jury in Judge Kersten's court returned this verdict after deliberating three hours and ten minutes.

The body of Charles B. Morrow was found on the back porch of the family residence the morning of December 27th, 1911. He had been shot through the heart and apparently had been dead several hours before the discovery of the body. At his side was found a revolver with which he had been shot. The coroner's jury returned a verdict of suicide but later the police made another investigation and Mrs. Morrow was indicted for murder.

FALLS 100 FEET IN A FEAT.

Wire Art'st's Assistant, in Thrilling Plunge, Saved by Lake.

Earl Richards, a Pottstown youth, had a thrilling experience recently at Sanetogo Park, while assisting Cameroni in his "slide for life" stunt over 100 feet in the air above the lake, says a Pottstown, Pa., dispatch. Cameroni, who was gliding along at at terrific speed over a slender wire connected by a pulley with his teeth, had sped about 1,000 feet with Richards clinging to his back when the latter let go and dropped into the water.

Cameroni gave the alarm and Walter Moyer went to Richards' rescue. He was fished out badly bruised and in a semi-conscious condition.

Anniston, Ala., July 19.—An exhibition drill by the men of the 11th cavalry under Colonel Morgan, was the feature of today's activities at Camp Pettus. Regular battalion combat exercises with some firing and tactical work occupied the attention of the members of the National Guard now in camp.

To Avoid Pasty, Shiny, Streaked Complexions

(From Beauty's Mirror.)

Those who abhor sticky, greasy, shiny, streaked complexions should religiously avoid creams, powders and rouges these heated days. There's no need for them, anyway, since the virtues of mercolized wax have become known. No amount of perspiration will produce any evidence that you've been using the wax. As it is applied at bedtime and washed off in the morning, the complexion never looks like a make-up. Mercolized wax gradually takes off a bad complexion, instead of adding anything to make it worse. It has none of the disadvantages of cosmetics and accomplishes much more in keeping the complexion beautifully white, satiny and youthful. Just get an ounce of it at your druggist's and see what a few days' treatment will do. Use like cold cream.

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Westbound.			Eastbound.	
Lv. 8:45 A. M.	No. 53	Wilmington	Ar. 8:05 P. M.	No. 52
Lv. 12:40 P. M.	No. 53	Fayetteville	Ar. 4:45 P. M.	No. 52
Ar. 1:40 P. M.	No. 53	Sanford	Lv. 3:30 P. M.	No. 52
Lv. 2:18 P. M.		Sanford	Ar. 3:20 P. M.	
Ar. 4:45 P. M.		Greensboro	Lv. 12:50 P. M.	

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington, Effective May 26th, 1912. Time Not Guaranteed.

DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90, ! 3:40 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. No. 91 leaves Norfolk 13:35 P. M. and Richmond 14:10 P. M.	No. 91, a 1:00 A. M.
No. 51, 5:35 A. M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars Between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50, *12:30 A. M.
No. 64, ! 5:50 A. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 65, ! 6:25 P. M.
No. 48, * 8:30 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49, * 6:15 P. M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A. M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford Through Pullman Parlor Car Service between Wilmington and Greensboro.	No. 52, * 8:05 P. M.
N. 55, * 3:15 P. M.	Chadourn, Conway (1), Florence, Charleston, Savannah, All Florida Points, Columbia, Asheville and the West. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.	No. 54, 1:40 P. M.
No. 62, 3:25 P.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 63, 12:50 P.M.
No. 59, ! 6:30 P. M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and Intermediate Stations.	No. 60, !10:15 A. M.
No. 42, * 7:00 P. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman and Dining Car Service. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41, *10:00 A. M.
No. 57 * 7:30 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway and Intermediate Stations.	No. 58, * 8:30 A. M.

* Daily. ! Daily except Sunday. a Daily except Monday.

For folders, reservations, rates of fares, etc., can 'phone 160.

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To the Beach

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect June 1st, 1912.

WEEK DAYS:

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach
6:30 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 P.M. 12:00 P.M. * 6:10 P.M.	6:05 A. M. 7:35 A. M. and every half hour until 11:45 P.M.

* Business Men's Express daily except Saturday and Sunday stops only at Wrightsville and stations on the Beach.

FREIGHT:

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
6:00 A.M.	7:15 A.M.
10:00 A.M.	12:15 P.M.
4:00 P.M.	6:15 P.M.
7:00 P.M.	8:15 P.M.

Freight depot open daily except Sunday from 8:00 A. M. until 1:00 P. M., and from 2:00 P. M. until 7:00 P. M.

SUNDAYS:

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
7:00 A.M.	7:15 A.M.
8:30 A.M.	7:45 A.M.
and every	9:15 A.M.
half hour	and every
thereafter	half hour
until	thereafter
11:00 P.M.	until
12:00 P.M.	11:45 P.M.

FREIGHT:

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
11:00 A.M.	12:15 P.M.

Freight depot open Sundays from 10:00 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

Express trains stop only at Wrightsville and stations on the Beach.

TELEPHONE 667 for information about train movements and all matters connected with transportation department.

W. B. & S. R. R.

Schedule in Effect Sunday, July 14th, 1912.

P. M.		A. M.
*3:15	Lv. . . . Wilmington . . .	Ar. 8:30
4:05	" . . . . Town Creek	" 7:35
4:20	" . . . . . Bolivia	" 7:20
4:55	Ar. . . . Southport	Lv. 6:45

* Daily, except Sunday.

Special train operated Sunday only, leaving Southport, 6:45 A. M., arriving Wilmington, 8:30 A. M. Returning, leave Wilmington 7:30 P. M., arriving Southport 9:00 P. M.

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SCHEDULE

EFFECTIVE APRIL 9th, 1912.

TRAINS LEAVE WILMINGTON, N. C.

No. 45—5 A. M. arrive Hamlet, 9:05 A. M. Leave Hamlet 9:25 A. M.; arrive Charlotte, 12:10 P. M. Connects at Hamlet with train 66, at 9:05 A. M. with through train for Raleigh, Norfolk, Richmond and points North. At Monroe, with train 53 for Atlanta and points South. Daily sleeper for Charlotte. Open for occupancy at 10 P. M.

No. 39—3:25 P. M.; arrive Hamlet 7:40 P. M.; leave Hamlet 8 P. M.; arrive Charlotte, 11 P. M. Connects at Hamlet with through trains for Atlanta, Birmingham, Columbia, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa. Also Norfolk, Richmond and all points north. Pullman chair car between Wilmington and Charlotte, and sleeper between Wilmington and Atlanta daily. Through to Birmingham Sundays and Wednesdays.

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No. 40—12:30 P. M., from Charlotte and intermediate points.

No. 44—12:10 A. M., from Charlotte and intermediate points.

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Steamship "Navahoe," Sat., July 27, 1912

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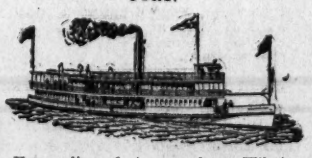

Harper line of steamers leave Wilmington daily except Sunday, for Southport, 9 A. M.; for Carolina Beach, 9 A. M. and 2:30 P. M. Returning, leave Southport, 11:45 A. M.; Carolina Beach, 12:45 and 5:45 P. M.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE.

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Lv. Durham	7:00 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 p.m.	2:30 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a.m.	6:25 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	3:45 a.m.	6:55 p.m.
Ar. Chicago	7:00 p.m.	7:30 a.m.
Ar. St. Louis	5:33 p.m.	8:30 a.m.

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COMMUNICATIONS, unless they contain important news, or discuss briefly and properly subjects of real interest, are not wanted; and if acceptable in every other way, they will invariably be rejected unless the real name of the author accompanies the same, not necessarily for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith.

Saturday, July 20, 1912.

Probably the third party will want to fuse with the Democratic party so it will be in with the winners.

To show how rapidly political sentiment has changed, men who were called demagogues and mountebanks a few years ago are now being listed as reactionaries.

Another bad sign for Taft is that most of the members of his tariff board have decided that it is best to get other jobs. They see the handwriting on the wall.

It might be a little mean to say it, but it is a truth that some politicians do their best to put the bosses out of business for the reason that it enlarges their own chances for political leadership or preferment.

It is rumored that Abdul Hamid has had his harem cut down to six wives. Inasmuch as it is merely for economy and not social reasons, it will be observed that the high cost of living is ruinous in large Turkish families as well as in America.

Reports that Orozco may decide to resign in favor of some other revolutionist ought to include the inference that he will have to hurry or there will be nothing to resign. Texas' cotton fields are gathering in the revolutionary army.—Galveston News.

Democrats ought to quit saying each other are not true Democrats till they know what a Democrat is. Some people mistake Populists for Democrats, and others are misled into believing that a Republican is about the same as some Democrats.

A real joint discussion is illuminating and educational, but most of the mix-ups we have witnessed were fine samples of wind-jamming. Exchange of personal abuse is not a discussion, and it only blinds men to the real issues. Some so-called political speeces are appeals to prejudice and not to reason.

Says the Charleston Post: "If Charleston cannot prepare the port for Panama by herself, she can with South Carolina back of her.' It is to the interest of the entire State to do it, just as it would be the best thing North Carolina could do if she were to make an appropriation to put in State controlled harbor terminals at Wilmington.

South Carolina and Georgia towns are rivalling each other with automobile booster trips. They are invading each other's bailiwicks with a string of several hundred machines loaded down with business men, glad-hand givers, and hot air artists. This is something new, and doubtless it is a diversion that is exceedingly pleasant and profitable. The small towns do not hesitate to invade the larger cities.

The beauty spot has been revived in Paris, and, of course, it will soon be here. A beauty spot is a small piece of plaster or penciled spot on the lip, chin, cheek, temple, or somewhere on the face, and that is all there is to it. It couldn't possibly make a North Carolina girl any more beautiful, but, of course, if the girls of other States are going to adopt it, they will do the same.

What is a Democrat? He is a fellow who votes the ticket and keeps on voting it and working for the party till the people let him be read out of the aggregation by some other man who thinks he is the only Democrat In fact, there are several kinds of Democrats, especially those who think their brand is the only one that will pass muster. Democrats ought to be very liberal with each other. They are all needed, and will keep on being needed.

POLITICAL LINES BREAKING.

No more interesting political situation than that of the present campaign has developed in the United States since 1858-1860. Abolition and States' rights were the momentous questions during the period just prior to the civil war, and agitation, discussion, radicalism, intolerance, prejudice, and sectionalism developed such a condition that the great Democratic party was disrupted in 1860. The result was a Republican victory, and with the exception of Cleveland's two terms that party, during the past 52 years, has elected every President and most of the time has been in control of every branch of the government.

The Presidential campaign this year finds conditions such that the Republican party is threatened with disruption. Recent political history is too fresh to recall the big split in the Chicago convention, which met June 18th, but as sensational as was that convention the political history that is now in the making is more significant than what occurred at Chicago to bring about the disruption of the Republican party. Col. Roosevelt's plans for reorganizing another political party may mean more than the mere disorganization which the Chicago convention signified, for the convention incident brought about a breach in party harmony while the political history that is now making may mean the complete undoing of the Republican party. On the other hand, it may mean the undoing of Col. Roosevelt, but we may be able to judge more about it after the Roosevelt National convention meets at Chicago two weeks from next Monday. This makes the situation just now the most interesting feature of the political upheaval, upon which the country is on the eve.

A Roosevelt success at Chicago means the permanent disruption of the Republican party, and certainly it will strengthen the forces and chances of the Democratic party. Failure on the part of Roosevelt would give the Republican party a new lease on life, but it will swell the ranks of the Democracy. In any event, political lines are breaking and events at Chicago will indicate what the break is to amount to. It is said that under any circumstances the Democratic party will elect the next President, and he will be Woodrow Wilson.

The break away from the Republican party is formidable, and the break seems to be one that will cause a new party alignment for thousands, perhaps millions, of voters. Whatever may be the outcome of the Roosevelt convention at Chicago, August 5th, a host of Republicans will leave the Republican party, never to return. That is indicated in what Congressman Geo. Curry, of New Mexico, declared a few days ago. He announced that he proposes to join the third party, much to the surprise of regular Republicans. Mr. Curry was formerly Governor of New Mexico and has been a Republican leader for a long time. He declared that his purpose was to leave the Republican party, although it might mean that he would have to leave Congress for a while, but he declared that whatever might happen to him politically, he could go no further with the Republicans.

Thousands of men are in the same state of mind as Mr. Curry, and it means that if there is to be no third party they will finally land in the Democratic party. If the Roosevelt party gets a good start and grows, it may be the end of the Republican party, for there are no principles upon which another party can be based—that is principles not already embodied in the two old parties. It will have to be either a protective tariff party, or revenue tariff party. If it is the former, it will not be different from the Republican party. If it is the latter it will not be different from the Democratic party. Therefore, what need would there be for a third party that could not be clearly distinguished from any other? So far as concerns the minor issues, all the parties would not differ materially, so the new party must be either Republican or Democratic under another name.

The momentous issues which have brought a party realignment that seems inevitable, are the tariff and the trusts. That has caused all the popular unrest and division in the Republican party, because that party has become the party of privilege and consequently has driven the people away from it. If the Roosevelt party declares for protection under any plan, mild or not, it finally will become a high protection party, and there will not be in it any hope for the masses. The party which daclares for protection may as well declare for trusts, because protection creates trusts and only makes their existence possible.

Third termism ought to kill the third party deader than Hector, even if it were to proclaim the most conservative principles of all the parties, and since there are really no principles to makes it otherwise different from the Republican or the Democratic party, we wish to enter here a prophesy that, if the Roosevelt party is organized, in from eight to twelve years its ghost will be flitting around with those of the Greenback party, the Populist party and the Free Silver party.

BIG PROFITS IN FIGS

Eastern North Carolina is splendidly adapted to the cultivation of figs, and Mr. J. B. Mercer, of Wilmington, can verify all The Star says about it There is profit in fig growing, for the fig is a delicious fruit and is in great demand fresh from the trees or commercially dried or preserved. The fig also is exceedingly prolific, is a good money maker and is a fine fruit with which to diversify the ready-selling products of North Carolina farms.

The tidal country of the Carolinas is peculiarly adapted to the fig industry and recently The Star referred to the fact that the Orchard Company had been chartered at Charleston for the purpose of growing figs on a great commercial scale. The company has purchased a large tract of land between Charleston and Beaufort, and will grow figs and put them on the market fresh, and will dry and preserve the fruit on a large scale. Messrs. G. D. Altman, of Charleston, and C. M. Gidding, of Jacksonville, are at the head of the enterprise, and Mr. Altman has informed the News and Courier that his company probably will begin planting in the next few months. Preserving and drying plants will be installed as soon as the production warrants it. In an interesting chat about figs, Mr. Altman said:

"We are going to use the Celestial variety of fig exclusively," said Mr. Altman yesterday. "This is one of the most practicable of all figs for this section. It is small and juicy and has a thin, tender peel. It is especially suited to this climate and to the soil in and around Charleston. There are now hundreds of these trees in the yards of people in this city, many of whom know them as sugar figs. Its skin is free from milk and the fig can be safely eaten in the raw state. For a preserving fig it has no equal. The Celestial will not, as is the case with some figs, crack open at the blossom end on ripening and they are thus not subject to being ruined by water.

"The fact that this climate is suited to the cultivation of the fig is well demonstrated by the story of the introduction of the fig tree into this section. The oldest fig tree of which we have record was one brought here by the Lost Colony of French Huguenots under Sir Jean Ribault. It was planted near Port Royal. When Sir Robert Sanford came over, nearly a hundred years later, he found a ruined fort, a broken column with the name of Carolina carved thereon, and a thriving fig tree in the background. The fig has scattered all over the surrounding territory as no other tree has done or will do.

"That figs are healthful is a well established fact. The ration for every soldier in the Roman Legion consisted largely of dried figs, not because they were plentiful or cheap, but they were in that day thought to ing vigorbe superior to all other foods in sustaining vigor, imparting strength and warding off disease.

"I frankly confess I do not know what the life of a fig tree is. There is a photograph of a fig tree in my office which, it is alleged, has cast its shadow over four generations. It is now more than twenty feet across, though it does not look to be more than fifteen years old from the picture. The great grandfather of the family, now about 90 years old, remembers the tree from his boyhood."

Mr. Altman knows the possibility of fig culture from his knowledge of the industry in Southern Texas. He says the returns from fig raising are large, as is shown by the result from the Texas orchards. In speaking about the prolificness of figs, he said he knows of a "Celestial" tree in Charleston from which the owner gathers regularly every morning a peck basket heaped full. The tree yields fruit for about thirty days and has been known to give a net yield of over seven bushels in a season. That is very good for Charleston, but there is in Wilmington a fig tree from which 36 quarts of figs were taken on two mornings of this week. Mr. J. B. Mercer is the possessor of that tree, and evidently it is a "Celestial." One morning he gathered 20 quarts, which is two and a half pecks compared with the one peck from the Charleston tree. The next morning, Mr. Mercer again gathered 16 quarts, or two pecks. In the two mornings his tree yielded a bushel and four quarts of delicious figs which readily sell at 12 1-2 cents a quart. That means $4.50 for two days' picking from one tree. Think of the production on an acre orchard of such trees as that of our Wilmington fig growers!

BIG PEAR CROP

Pender and Brunswick counties are demonstrating what an incomparable pear country we have around Wilmington. About all the good things of earth grow to perfection in eastern North Carolina but the evidence is accumulating that it ought to be the richest fruit-growing section in America. Wilmington householders can testify to the fine pear product of Brunswick county, for every Fall large quantities of fine Keifers are sold on the Wilmington market. It is said the crop over in Brunswick this Fall will be tremendous, the largest in the history of pear growing in that fine old county.

It remained for Captain R. P. Paddison, of Point Caswell, to put The Star onto the splendid adaptibilities of Pender for pear culture. Yesterday he brought us a small twig upon which there were fourteen large Keifers. The specimen was a beauty, and he tells us that it is only a fair one taken from his loaded trees. Captain Paddison says his trees are breaking down with pears and that he has had to build arbors beneath them to prevent damage to the trees and waste of fruit.

He has a pear orchard of 700 trees and although they are only five years old this Fall, he expects to gather at least three bushels per tree. That would mean 2,100 bushels of pears, and if only one bushel per tree is the yield there will be a crop of 700 bushels. He says his trees are beautiful and his crop is so large that he is wondering how he will get them to market. Quite naturally he is interested in the new canning factory to be started in Wilmington and he hopes it will start up this Fall so he can have a home market for his pears.

The Keifer pear is a splendid fruit which ripens in September and lasts through October. It is good for baking, preserving and canning, and the possibilities for pear culture will be great when we have the means of canning and preserving them at home.

CURRENT COMMENT.

The Durham Herald says: "We always scratch the ticket and we have never yet taken part in any kind of a Democratic primary." The Herald has also said plainly that it will not vote for Craig for Governor "if there is any other white man in the race." And yet the Herald is working night and day trying to prove that Senator Simmons is not a true Democrat.—Greensboro News.

Senator Tillman complains that when he went to Washington eighteen years ago he was hounded as a wild man and now, although he has not changed, he is classed as a reactionary. Probably the Senator has changed unconsciously. Experience causes changes, and, after all, the difference between a progressive and conservative is not so great as to be of much consequence.—Savannah News.

Negro, poor negro! He has a hard time trying to keep in the political game. There are two factions of Roosevelt progressives in Greensboro and they have fallen out over negro representation to the Third Party convention and it is said there will be a contest. Did you ever! But Roosevelt can settle it. He'll seat all hands if they will agree to compose their differences.—Greensboro Record.

The express companies had better obey the orders of the Inter-State Commerce Commission and be glad that they are merely required to cut their unreasonable rates and set their houses in order rather than face the competition of a parcels post. Perhaps the commission has saved them from that competition, or at least, postponed it. At any rate, it has done something more for them. It has shown them a way to conduct their business so as not to give constant offense to their patrons. They needed this worse than any other public companies in existence.—New York Tribune.

Gov. Wilson is going to run his own campaign and he is going to run it on a plan that, while it may irritate some of the old stagers, is refreshing to the mind weary of the ancient conventional imposters and illusions of political management. He calls in some very able men of affairs, men new politically, enthusiastic, teachable and not hidebound, as a sort of lay assistants or assessors, to sit with the regulars of the National Committee, and of these regulars some of the most influential are but beginners, with small experience or relish for the archaic style of politics.—New York Sun (Ind).

The tomato crop in this section is fine this year. Indeed it is a crop that never fails. We do not believe finer tomatoes grow anywhere than in this section. Yet every Winter we buy thousands of cans of them, grown and put up in other sections and get an article that is not to be compared to the home-grown and home-canned, even when the government inspectors have been sufficiently alert and are reasonably sure as to the purity of the product. We do not grow many tomatoes but we do not save those we do grow. Bushels of them go to waste every year. We ought to raise more and can more of all kinds of vegetables. It is simply another one of the opportunities of this section of bountiful resources that we have failed to grasp. What a wonderfully rich section this will be when we have developed and are utilizing even half the resources open to us.—Raleigh Times.

SIMMONS' PUBLIC WORTH

(Communicated).

It should be a matter of State pride that North Carolina is represented in the upper House of our National Congress by a man whose abilities and services have won such marked recognition as to place him in the commanding position of Minority Leader. The State has enjoyed no such distinction since the war, and with few exceptions, the most notable the career of Nathaniel Macon in the lower House, has not been so honored in the history of the government.

The press dispatches of this morning announce, with complimentary notice, Senator Simmons' signal victory in forcing a Republican Senate to make a record on the Democratic tariff measures now before that body, a performance so notable as to at once stamp Mr. Simmons a great parliamentarian and elicit the warm congratulations of party leaders. The State is fast waking up to advantages of the services of such a capable public servant, and the public is quick to recognize the value of a man, who powerful as a minority leader, would be the embodiment of success when clothed with the power of majority leader. In commercial affairs a man never parts with his holdings when the market has just started on an upward course, and the people of North Carolina will hardly be guilty of such shortsighted policy as to barter its "National stock" when conditions making for steady enhancement are only beginning to shape themselves.

Senator Simmons is being assailed, from an interested quarter, because of his position on the tariff, and the Democratic Senators in Congress have answered the attack in the most authoritative manner, by making Mr. Simmons minority leader especially charged with the responsibility of pressing to a vote tariff bills sent up by a Democratic House. In the light of these facts, to attack Mr. Simmins' Democracy on this ground is to impugn the party integrity of every Democrat of the State.

Oh, party regularity how many political aspirations have been exploited in thy name!

"MEASLEY, DIRTY SHAME."

So Says Representative Catlin, Who Was Unseated Yesterday.

Washington, July 19.—Representative Theron E. Catlin, of Missouri, in a statement tonight characterized as a "monumental fraud" the action of the House Committee on Elections today in voting to recommend that he be deprived of his seat in the House. The committee decided by a vote of six to three to report that Mr. Catlin had not been properly elected, because it was disclosed that his relatives had spent approximately $13,000 in his campaign, contrary to the State law. The committee voted to seat former Congressman Patrick Gill, a Democrat, in the place of Mr. Catlin.

"The action of the Democratic members of the Committee on Elections in declaring that Patrick Gill is entitled to my seat violates every principle of political decency and is a travesty on elementary justice," said Representative Catlin.

"Not a scintilla of evidence was produced indicating fraud of any kind, character or description. In order to consummate this monumental fraud and to seat Mr. Gill, the Democratic members of the committee arbitrarily threw out votes of two wards, both of which I carried by very substantial majorities.

"It is inconceivable that any political party should resort to such desperate measures to thwart the expressed will of the people. I look confidently to the voters of the district for an overwhelming vindication in November. I welcome a contest with Mr. Gill and his party on this issue."

RIVERS AND HARBORS BILL.

Measure Now Goes to President for His Signature.

Washington, July 19.—The House today agreed to the conference report on the Rivers and Harbors bill, which carried approximately $33,000,000, an increase over the original measure of about $7,000,000. There was decided opposition to the scheme by which the Federal government is committed to the maintenance and repair of the levees in the Mississippi, Missouri and Ohio valleys, but friends of the project won the point. The bill now will go to the President for his signature.

SOME WORKING GIRLS LOSE TOO MUCH TIME

Two Girls Tell How To Avoid It.

There is nothing that teaches more than experience. We therefore quote from the letters of two girls who suffered and were restored to health. The same remedy is within reach of all.

Brooklyn, N. Y.—"Prior to taking the first bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I suffered agony every month, but after your wonderful medicine had been taken a while I felt a little better, and after taking seven bottles of it I feel that I can truly say I have no more pain or inconvenience.

"As I am out in the business world as a stenographer, I come in contact with many girls, and when the opportune moment arrives I tell them about the Vegetable Compound and I know that quite a few are taking it."—HELEN CANET, 556 Dean St.

Another Girl's Experience.

Tishomingo, Okla.—"I am a stenographer and book-keeper, and Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has saved my life. I am enjoying the best of health now, but I was suffering from female troubles and painful periods, and would have backache, headache and fainting spells. If any woman would like to write to me I will gladly answer her letter and tell her what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me."—Mrs. MATTIE COPENHAVER, Tishomingo, Okla.

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A good way is to open an account with this bank; deposit a part of your earnings and be ready for the many chances for good investments. Help yourself and you help the whole community.

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BIDS FOR INCINERATOR.

Bids will be received by Councilman Bernice C. Moore, in charge of the Department of Public Safety, until 12 o'clock, M., on the 3rd day of August, 1912, for the construction of an Incinerator for the City of Wilmington and County of New Hanover. Detailed information may be had by addressing the undersigned. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. BERNICE C. MOORE, Councilman.

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ATTENTION, PRUDENT BUYERS.

About 75 first-class Iron Beds to be sold at a sacrifice to make room for another car of the famous three-piece Bernstein Beds just received.

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BUYS SEWERAGE SYSTEM

Council Adops Formal Ordinance Taking Over Existing Plant at $130,000—The Agreement Given in Full.

One of the most important actions yet taken by the present administration was the adoption by the Council at a special meeting yesterday morning of an ordinance, comprising an agreement between the city of Wilmington and the Wilmington Sewerage Co., that the municipality purchase from the company the existing sewerage system for $130,000, a price that had been agreed upon at former conferences. The city is to pay $30,000 cash and the balance in annual installments of $5,000 each. After five years the city has the right to cancel the entire indebtedness.

The meeting was attended by all members of the Council except Councilman P. Q. Moore, but he is understood to be favorable to the proposition. Present also were City Attorney Herbert McClammy and Iredell Meares, Esq., the latter representing the bondholders' committee. The attorneys had already given their approval to the agreement and after a brief discussion the ordinance was adopted. The ordinance is subject to ratification by the board of directors and the stockholders of the Wilmington Sewerage Company at meetings to be held in accordance with the provisions of its by-laws. These meetings, it is expected, will be held just as early as possible, and it appears that it will be only a matter of a few weeks until the city takes over the plant.

The idea of the Council is to begin as soon as possible to enlarge the system by building sewers in the northern, eastern and southern parts of the city, which are not reached by the existing plant.

Owing to the general and widespread interest in the settlement of the sewerage controversy The Star prints herewith the document in full as it was adopted yesterday morning:

Acceptance.

The Wilmington Sewerage Company and the bondholders' committee of said company, agree to the terms of the following ordinance proposed to be passed by the Council of the city of Wilmington, North Carolina, and will carry out their part of the contract in good faith, if the ordinance is passed.

THE WILMINGTON SEWERAGE CO.
By W. B. D. SMITH,
President.

W. B. D. Smith, John Graham, Geo. Watson, Bondholders' Committee.

The above exception is made upon the express condition that it is subject to the ratification of the board of directors and the stockholders of the Wilmington Sewerage Company at meetings to be held in accordance with the provisions of its by-laws.

THE WILMINGTON SEWERAGE CO.
By W. B. D. SMITH,
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Ordinance by City of Wilmington, North Carolina, Reference Sewer System.

Be it enacted by the Council of the city of Wilmington, North Carolina, and it is hereby enacted and ordained by the authority of the same, That the Mayor of the said city, and the City Clerk and Treasurer be authorized and directed to enter into and execute on behalf of the said city, an agreement with the Wilmington Sewerage Company in form, as follows; and that the said agreement as executed and delivered shall be binding upon all parties thereto:

Agreement.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

This agreement, entered into this ... day of ....., 1912, by and between the Wilmington Sewerage Company, a corporation created under the laws of the State aforesaid, hereinafter called the "Company," of the first part; and the city of Wilmington, North Carolina, a municipal corporation, hereinafter called the "City," of the second part:

Whereas, the Company is the owner of a system of sewers located in the City, which it operates and maintains, subject to the lien of a deed of trust, executed by the Company to the West End Trust & Safe Deposit Company, trustee, in order to secure the payment of the principal and interest of its bonded obligation, aggregating the sum of $150,000, which trust deed is dated July 1, 1901, and is duly recorded in the Register of Deed's office for the county of New Hanover, State aforesaid, in Book 30, at page 661; and

Whereas, the City desires to acquire and operate the said sewer plant of the Company, and the Company has agreed to sell the same to the City, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter stated; Now this agreement witnesseth:

Sec. 1. The Company hereby agrees to create a first mortgage in the sum of $100,000, to ..... trustee, upon all the property owned by the Company, in similar terms to the existing mortgage and including such provisions of this agreement as are intended to be included, and cause to be paid off the $150,000 present First Mortgage, 5 per cent. gold bonds of the Wilmington Sewerage Company, and have the said mortgage cancelled. Said bonds so to be issued under the mortgage for $100,000 so to be created, shall be 20-year gold bonds, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, and shall be in such denominations as the Company may determine.

Said mortgage shall further provi that five thousand dollars ($5,000) said issue of bonds shall be pay le annually, beginning one year fro the day of the date of the mortgag and so many of each of the denomination of the bonds so issued under said mortgage as shall equal five thousand dollars of the said bonds secured by said mortgage shall be drawn for payment at par and accrued interest each year in the usual manner. Said mortage shall further provide that after ... years from their date, the trustee shall at any interest period, upon ...tten notice from the Company, be required upon three months' notice in writing to the bondholders, if registered, and without notice if not registered, to anticipate the payment of all or any part of said bonds in advance of their maturity at par and accrued interest, whereupon interest upon said bonds shall cease. The City agrees to give the Company at least three months' notice in writing of its intention to exercise the right hereby reserved to it to pay off and discharge before maturity all or any part of said bonds at par and accrued interest, stating the exact amount it desires to pay and shall have the funds necessary to make said payment in the hands of the trustee at least five days before the next interest payment is due on said bonds. Failure so to do shall work a forfeiture of this right to anticipate payment for six months. Upon compliance by the City with the notice and conditions herein the Company expressly agrees to notify said trustee of the City's intention to make such payments.

Upon the execution and delivery of said mortgage, and the certification and delivery of the new bonds as herein provided, the Company agrees to cancel and deliver to the City the $150,000 first mortgage, 5 per cent., gold bonds, of the Wilmington Sewerage Company, dated the 1st day of July, 1901, now outstanding and to satisfy of record the mortgage securing the payment of the same, or the mortgage may be foreclosed in the usual manner and bonds cancelled and mortgage satisfied of record.

In case the Company shall not be able to deliver all of said bonds at the time herein specified, the City hereby agrees to accept and may require satisfactory security or indemnity to secure later delivery or payment of same, whereupon the City agrees to certify of new bonds as herein required. In any event, the mortgage is to be satisfied of record.

Sec. 2. The City agrees that it will cause its certificate to be written in each of said bonds, under the corporate seal, when they are issued by and under the terms of this agreement, in form and words as follows:

"STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,

"This certifies that the property described in the deed of trust mentioned in the within bond has been acquired by the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, subject to the lien of said deed of trust, and that the said City of Wilmington will pay the principal of and the interest coupons attached to the within bond, at the place and times stipulated therein, by and in accordance only with the terms and conditions set forth in a certain deed executed by the Wilmington Sewerage Company to the City, bearing date the ..... day of ....., 1912, and duly recorded in the Register of Deeds' office for the county of New Hanover, State of North Carolina, where the property is located.

"In testimony whereof, the city has caused this certificate to be signed by Joseph D. Smith, its Mayor, duly attested by Thos. D. Meares, its Clerk and Treasurer, under its corporate seal, this first day of ..... 1912.

CITY OF WILMINGTON,
By .....,Mayor.

Attest:

.....
City Clerk and Treasurer.

Sec. 3. The Company, when the said mortgage so to be executed shall have been recorded, will then execute a deed for the entire plant to the said City, in consideration of the sum of Thirty Thousand ($30,000) Dollars in cash, subject to the mortgage lien thereon to secure the aforesaid issue of bonds, free from all other encumbrances, but subject to the provisions of this agreement, upon the condition that the City will pay into the hands of the trustee of said mortgage, semi-annually, on the 1st day of ....., a sum sufficient to meet the interest on all outstanding bonds, on or before and at the time and place each semi-annual interest installment shall become due and payable, and upon the further condition that the said City will pay after one year from the date of the mortgage, the sum of Five Thousand Dollars ($5,000) annually thereafter to the trustee of said mortgage to retire a like amount of the bonds. The trustee shall apply the sums deposited with it for that purpose to pay the interest on the bonds and it shall apply the sum paid it for that purpose to retire at par a like amount of the said bonds.

Sec. 4. And the City, in consideration of the covenants herein expressed to be performed by the Company, covenants and agrees to and with the Company that when a deed shall have been executed to it as aforesaid, it will accept the said system upon the conditions stipulated, that it will pay the interest on the said bonds as the coupons may mature, and the sum of Five Thousand Dollars annually thereafter to the trustee of said mortgage, for the payment of the bonds as stipulated; that it will take possession of the said plant, maintain and operate and collect for its own use the income thereof; that it will make the said system the public system of the City and compel by its police power all closets of residences or stores along the route or routes of the said sewers to be connected with the said system; that it shall so adjust the rates for the use of the said system as may be necessary to meet the operating expenses thereof and its fixed charges, or otherwise provide for the same, and that it will meet and pay any deficiency between the income thereof and the necessary operating expenses and fixed charges, and that it will accept a conveyance of the said system upon the condition that in the event it shall default in paying the interest, operating expenses, and the fixed charges, which default shall continue for six months, the Company shall have the right to re-enter and take possession of the plant and operate the same; but further provided, if within six months after such re-entry, the City may elect to pay the sums for which it may have defaulted, then it may again enter into possession and continue to hold the same under the deed to be made to it, as aforesaid, by paying the defaulted sums, with interest at 5 per cent., from the date of the default, and any damage or loss sustained by the Company during said default. In the event of any default on the part of the City in the payments herein required to be made and the failure of the City to make good said default as herein provided, then and in that event, all the sums paid under this agreement prior to said default shall be considered as paid for the use and occupation of the said sewerage system by the City and shall be and become the property of the Company, without any claim, legal or equitable, against the sewerage system or other property of the Company by reason of said payments. In the event of final default, the City hereby ... to reconvey said property to the Company.

Sec. 5. For the payment of the sums herein required to be paid by it, the City hereby pledges and specifically appropriates and sets aside for this purpose all the annual surplus revenue from the receipts derived from the sewerage system, so far as same is necessary, and hereby covenants that said surplus revenue so derived shall not be used or expended for any other purpose.

The annual surplus revenue of the sewerage system is hereby defined to be the excess of the gross receipts or income of the City from the sewerage system within its limits, over the ordinary expense of maintenance and operation of the sewerage system, and no payments for extensions, alterations or improvements to the sewerage system and no extraordinary expenditures which may become necessary from any cause shall be considered in estimating the amount of surplus revenue.

Sec. 6. The City further covenants and agrees that during the entire term of the payments required to be made hereunder, it will repair and replace all parts of the sewerage system and other property herein agreed to be conveyed under said deed, so as to maintain and keep the premises agreed to be conveyed in a state of efficiency; and that it will, from time to time, make all extensions, additions, alterations and improvements, renewals and betterments which may be necessary or proper to maintain the entire sewerage system conveyed to the City as herein provided, and will do and perform all other things necessary to maintain said sewerage system, and until all sums due hereunder are fully paid, all lands, structures, improvements, betterments and renewals added to or mode upon the sewerage system, and all rights, privileges and franchises acquired by the City in connection with said sewerage system shall be treated as a part of such sewerage system, and be subject to all the terms, provisions and conditions of the deed herein agreed to be made, the same as if they had been vested in the Company at the date of the instrument.

Sec. 7. The City covenants that until all payments are made in full as herein provided, it will pay, satisfy and discharge as the same shall accrue, all taxes, licenses and assessments of every nature and description, which may be lawfully imposed or assessed in any way upon the Company with reference to the property, contracts, rights, privileges, or upon the payments herein required to be made by the City, and all sums of money which the Company may now be or may hereafter become liable to pay by law, contract or otherwise, for the possession, enjoyment or perpetuation of any of its rights, powers, privileges or franchises, provided that the cause of action shall have arisen or liability shall have accrued subsequently to the taking over of the property as herein contemplated; provided, also, this section is not to be construed to make the City liable for any executive or clerical expenses in the maintenance of the Company's organization; said payments to be made as the same become due to the officer or other person entitled by law to receive the same, and in the event that the City shall fail to make any such payments when the same become due, the Company may at any time thereafter make such payments and recover the amount thereof, with interest thereon, from the date thereof, from the City, without prejudice to any right secured to the Company by the covenants of the deed herein provided for, it being understood and agreed, however, that if the City shall desire to resist by legal proceedings the payment of any tax or assessment, upon the ground that the same is not legally assessed or is excessive and shall so notify the Company, the Company shall not pay any such tax or assessment until 30 days after final adjudication upon such tax or assessment by the court having jurisdiction in such cases.

Sec. 8. The City covenants that it will save the Company harmless from all charges, actions; costs, damages and expenses arising from the maintenance or the operation of the property or other use by the City of the property, contracts, rights, powers and privileges hereby agreed to be conveyed; and the City further covenants that all injuries to persons or property arising during or growing out of the operation of the sewerage system shall be considered a part of the cost of such operation.

Sec. 9. The City shall keep so much of the property sereby agreed to be conveyed as shall be perishable, properly insured against loss or damage, and in case of damage or loss the proceeds of said insurance shall be applied by the City solely to the rebuilding, replacement, or repair of the property hereby agreed to be conveyed, or when not so necessary, then to other extensions, betterments, and renewals of the property described and conveyed in said deed.

Sec. 10. The Company, by its agents or representatives, may at all proper and reasonable times, enter upon the sewerage system, and inspect the same for the purpose of ascertaining its condition, and the character of the management, and whether the covenants and agreements of the City herein contained are being complied with.

Sec. 11. The Company will execute it deed to the City, as hereinbefore agreed, in substance and form as per the copy attached to this ordinance, and the City hereby authorizes its proper officers to execute the same for and on its own behalf.

In Witness Whereof, the party of the first part, pursuant to a resolution adopted at a meeting of its stockholders, called upon due notice to consider same on the ..... day of ....., 1912, has caused these presents to be executed by its president and duly attested by its secretary, under its Corporate Seal, and the party of the second part has caused these presents to be executed by its Mayor, duly attested by its City Clerk and Treasurer, both duly authorized and empowered thereto by ordinance adopted the .... day of ....., under its corporate seal, the day and year first above written.

Deed to be Executed by the Sewerage Company to the City.

This Indenture, made and executed this ..... day of ....., 1912, by and between the Wilmington Sewerage Company, a corporation created and existing under the laws of the State of North Carolina, having its principal place of business in the city of Wilmington, North Carolina, of the first part, and the city of Wilmington, a municipal corporation of the said State, of the second part:

Whereas, the first and second parties entered into a certain contract contained in an ordinance adopted by the Council of the City of Wilmington on the ..... day of ....., 1912, and recorded in the minute book of said City, which contract is as follows:

(Insert copy of contract.)

And, whereas, at a meeting of the stockholders of said company, held at its offices in the city of Wilmington, North Carolina, on the .... day of ....., 1912, the following resolution, accepting said contract, was passed:

(Insert Resolution.)

And, whereas, at a meeting of the Directors of said Company held at the office of said company, in Wilmington, North aCrolina, on the day ..... 1912, it was unanimously resolved as follows:.

(Insert Resolution.)

And, whereas, pursuant to said contract and ordinance the said first party executed its bonds, aggregating the sum of One Hundred Thousand ($100,000) Dollars, secured by a deed of trust executed by the said first party to ....., trustee, bearing date the first day of ....., 1912, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of New Hanover, State of North Carolina, in Book ..., at page ..., to which deed and the record thereof reference is had for its terms and conditions.

Now this Indenture Witnesseth, that the said party of the first part, in consideration of the sum of thirty thousand ($30,000) dollars in cash, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, and in further consideration of the premises and the conditions hereinafter set forth, has granted, sold, aliened and conveyed, and by these presents does grant, sell, alien and convey unto the said party of the second part, its successors and assigns, all its right, title, interest and estate in any to a certain sewerage plant now located, owned, operated and maintained in the city of Wilmington by the said first party, subject to the conditions hereinafter stipulated, including, all and singular, the property, rights of way, and all privileges granted by the city to the said first party, to-wit:

(Describe Property.)

Provided, nevertheless, and this conveyance is made upon the express condition, to wit:

(1) That it is subject to the lienof the aforesaid deed of trust executed by the said first party to ....., trustee, bearing date the first day of ....., 1912, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the county of New Hanover, State of North Carolina, in Book .... at page ...., as hereinbefore mentioned.

(2) That the said second party will pay the interest and principal of said bonds, at the time and places stipulated in the aforesaid deed of trust in accordance with its agreement set forth in the ordinance hereinbefore mentioned, which is a part hereof.

(3) That when all of the said bonded indebtedness of the said first party mentioned and described in the said deed of trust, executed to secure the same, shall have been paid in full, and all other covenants have been fully performed, in accordance with the agreement of said second party hereinbefore stated in the above mentioned ordinance and made a part hereof, then this conveyance shall operate and have the effect in law and in equity to convey the aforesaid premises in absolute fee simple, and upon the compliance with the conditions hereinbefore stated, in the payment in full of the said principal and interest on said bonds, the said party of the first part will then make to the said second party any further deed of conveyance in fee simple of all its interests, including its franchise in the premises hereby granted, as may be required and demanded of it by the said second party.

(4) That the said second party accepts the possession of the premises hereby granted under the terms of this deed in accordance and in compliance with the stipulations set forth in said ordinance.

To have and to hold the above described premises, with the appurtenances unto the said second party, its successors and assigns, subject only to the conditions herein contained.

In witness whereof the said party of the first part has caused these presents to be signed by W. B. D. Smith, its president, and duly attested by W. E. Merritt, its secretary, under its corporation seal, and the party of the second part has caused these presents to be signed in signification of its acceptance hereof by Joseph D. Smith, its Mayor, duly attested by Thos. D. Meares, its City Clerk and Treasurer, under its corporate seal, the day and date first above written.

The foregoing ordinance is approved.

HERBERT McCLAMMY,
City Attorney.

Office City Clerk and Treasurer:

The foregoing copy of an ordinance is certified to be correct, and agreed to be passed by the Council of the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, when accepted by the Wilmington Sewerage Company, and the Bondholders' Committee.

THOS. D. MEARES.
City Clerk and Treasurer.

Wilmington, N. C., July 13, 1912.

Adopted at a meeting of the Council July 19th, 1912.

(Signed) Bernice C. Moore, M. G. Tiencken, W. E. Perdew, Joseph D. Smith.

Correct:

THOS. D. MEARES,
Clerk and Treasurer.

FUNERAL OF MRS. KELLY

Services Yesterday Morning From Church of Good Shepherd

The funeral of Mrs. Jane Kelly, who died Thursday morning at an early hour, as the result of injuries sustained in a fall from her second story window Wednesday night, was held yesterday morning at 10 o'clock from the Church of the Good Shepherd and was attended by a large number of sorrowing relatives and friends. Rev. Thomas P. Noe, rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, of which the deceased had been a devoted member, conducted the services, and the vested choir of the church sang several selections at the church and the grave.

Interment was made in Bellvue cemetery, and a large number of handsome floral designs covered the grave, attesting the great sorrow felt on the passing of this good woman. The pallbearers were Messrs. J. M. Lord, C. H. Huband, C. S. Pridgen, J. W. Hewett, D. D. Barber and T. G. Landen.

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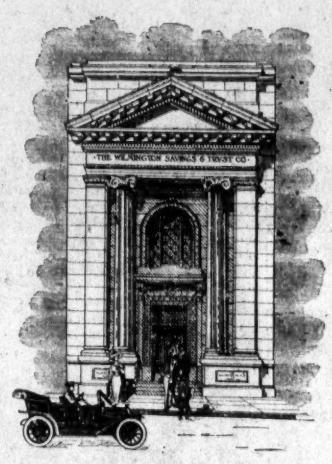

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ADVERTISE FOR PROPOSALS

Council Asks for Bids to Construct Incinerator—Resolutions Adopted On the Death of Capt. R Oscar Grant

In special session yesterday morning, the City Council authorized Councilman B. C. Moore, in charge of the Department of Public Safety, to advertise at once for bids for the construction of a modern and up-to-date incinerator for the destruction of carrion and trash of from 25 to 40 tons capacity. This action followed the conference with County Commissioners Thursday morning, as outlined in yesterday's paper, at which the county solons agreed to pay one-fifth of the cost of installation and maintenance of such a plant. Councilman Moore has an advertisement in this morning's Star calling for bids to be submitted on or before noon August 3rd, when they will be opened and publicly read.

The meeting was attended by all members except Councilman Parker Quince Moore, who was detained at home on account of illness, but hopes to be out again today. He is heartily in sympathy with the proposition, so the action might be said to meet the unanimous approval of the Council. It was suggested that it would be a good idea for Council to send a representative to Richmond and Norfolk to inspect the different incinerators in operation in those cities. Councilman B. C. Moore was named to take the trip and it is expected that he will leave in a few days. After his visit he will be in position to advise Council as to kind and size of incinerator to install. The incinerator is only to be used for the destruction of carrion and trash, as other arrangements are to be made to destroy the refuse.

Councilman Tiencken inquired of City Attorney McClammy if the Council would have the authority to borrow $20,000 or $25,000 to provide the incinerator. While the attorney withheld his opinion until he can look into the question, it is thought that there will be no trouble in financing the proposition, as the successful bidders will likely make the terms to suit the city.

Capt. Thos. D. Meares, city clerk and treasurer, who was instructed at the regular meeting Wednesday to prepare resolutions on the death of Capt. R. Oscar Grant, superintendent of streets, whose death occurred Tuesday morning, reported. The resolutions were unanimously adopted. Capt. Meares yesterday afternoon sent to the deeply bereaved widow the following official communication:

"July 19th, 1912.

"Mrs. R. Oscar Grant, City.

"Dear Madam:—I am directed by the Council to state that at a meeting held this day, the following was adopted by a rising vote, and a copy ordered to be sent to you.

"The Council of the city of Wilmington desires to spread upon its records this tribute of respect to the memory of R. Oscar Grant, late superintendent of streets. Died July 16th, 1912.

"Affable in manner, he made many friends, attracted to him by a sincerity and trueness of character, and made few enemies. A devoted husband and father, he gave of his best to the maintenance of a happy home and household. Energetic, capable and conscientious in his work, his duties in the responsible positions which he filled, were discharged with acceptability and credit. As an officer of the municipal government, his labors have been onerous, but have been fully met and always without a murmur. The streets of Wilmington will long bear silent witness to the faithfulness and pride with which he directed their construction and restoration. The city has lost a faithful and competent friend and servant. The public a citizen of value in progressive work. His family suffer the unending absence of a loved and respective head. The members of this Council are deprived of the help of one who spared not his best talent to advance the interests of the city.

"Assuring you of my profound sympathy, I am, with deep respect,

"Very truly yours,
"THOS. D. MEARES,
"City Clerk."

DR. J. C. WESSELL APPOINTED

Local Physician to Temporarily Fill Dr. Gardner's Place

Dr. Jno. C. Wessell, of this city, has been appointed to temporarily succeed Dr. Chas. H. Gardner, who for the past four years has been surgeon in charge at the United States Marine Hospital, here and who left last evening for Detroit, Mich., having been promoted to surgeon in charge of the United States Marine Hospital there, as was announced in The Star several days ago. Dr. Gardner was accompanied last evening by Mrs. Gardne and their son. They will accompany him part of the way to Detroit and will then go to Canada, where they will spend a month or so. Dr. Gardner goes direct to Detroit to take up his duties there and will be joined by his family in the early part of September.

It is with deep regret that their many Wilmington friends see Dr. and Mrs. Gardner leave the city, for they have identified themselves very closely with the church and social life of the city during the four years that they have made Wilmington their home. However, Dr. Gardner's appointment to the Detroit hospital is regarded as a substantial advancement and all will rejoice over his promotion, at the same time wishing for him a continued success in his new home.

Dr. Wessel, who has been appointed to temporarily succeed Dr. Gardner, is eminently fitted to perform the duties incumbent upon the office which he will fill. One of the best known physicians and surgeons in Wilmington, as well as the State, he will manage the affairs of the Marine Hospital with every measure of success. Dr. Wessell has been temporarily in charge of the hospital several times before.

It is not known when the name of Dr. Gardner's permanent successor will be announced.

Fire Works

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CANOE RACES AT BEACH.

First of Series of Events at Lumina This Afternoon.

The first of a series of four ocean canoe races and tilting contests will take place in front of Lumina this afternoon, beginning at 4 o'clock. The number of spectators will doubtless be large as already great interest has been aroused in the contests. A larger number of entries are already in than have ever entered a canoe race at the resort before. This fact alone assures a most interesting and exciting contest. Entries will be taken right after the time of starting the events. Handsome silver cups will be given to the winners. Two cups will be given to the winning canoe in each event, one cup to each man in the canoe.

The dates for the other three races will be announced later. The two men having the greatest number of points at the end of the season will each receive a trophy signifying that he has won the series. These prizes will be in addition to the prizes given in each of the four events. Seven points will be scored for each man in the winning canoe; five points for each man in the second canoe; three points for each man in the third canoe; one point for each man in the fourth canoe.

There are left a few available canoes and if there is any one who wishes to enter the race this afternoon and not provided with a canoe this may be arranged on application to 'phone No. 28, before 1 P. M. today.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Announcement by Wilmington Pastors for Services Tomorrow.

First Presbyterian church, corner Third and Orange streets—Services tomorrow at 11 A. M., and 6 P. M. The pastor, Dr. J. M. Wells, will preach at both services. Sunday School at 4:50 P. M. Christian Endeavor Society at 8 P. M. Mid-week prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 P. M. You are cordially invited to these services.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, corner Fourth and Campbell streets, Rev. Alex. D. McClure, D. D., pastor—Sabbath services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.; Sabbath School at 4 P. M. W. C. E. Society at 7:30 P. M.; prayer meeting and lecture Wednesday at 8 P. M. The public cordially invited. Seats free.

Rev. H. W. Koelling from St. Louis, Mo., the assistant pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, arrived Friday. He is the guest of Dr. McClure and will preach Sabbath night.

St. Matthews' English Lutheran church, North Fourth street, Rev. H. E. Beatty, pastor—Divine services Sunday 11 A. M. and 8 P. M., Holy Communion at the 11 o'clock service. Sunday School 10 A. M.; prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Visitors cordially invited.

FOR THE WOMAN WHO THINKS AND FEELS.

Some women complain that they periodically suffer from dull and heavy feelings, or dizziness in the head, nervousness, pain and bearing-down feelings which should not occur to the normal healthy woman. But most every woman is subject to these pains at some time in her life, due to abnormal conditions in life, such as corsets, over-taxed strength, bad air, poor or improper food, wet feet, sluggish liver, etc. A regulator and female tonic made from native medicinal roots with pure glycerin, and without the use of alcohol, called

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SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Miss Lassie Reynolds, of Asheville, is the guest of Miss Nellie Dooley.

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Miss Alice Tull, of Kinston, is visiting Miss Annie Kelly for a few weeks.

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Mr. Vardelle Walsh, of Sumter, S. C., is visiting his cousin, Mr. Geo. F. Fowler, at 514 Red Cross street.

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Mrs. H. G. Walsh has gone to Blueridge Summit, Pa., where she will spend the remainder of the Summer.

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Mr. and Mrs. Thos. C. Weatherly, of Bennettsville, S. C., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson Brown, at Winter Park Gardens.

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Miss Elizabeth Gardner and Miss Ida Neale Fleet, of this city, are guests at the home of Mrs. R. W. Montgomery, on Masonboro Sound.

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Miss Esther Hashagen has gone to Greensboro and Reidsville for a visit to friends. In Reidsville she will be a member of a house party.

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Mr. and Mrs. Abe Einstein and baby have returned to the city from Wrightsville Beach and are now at their apartment, No. 22 Carolina.

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Mrs. C. L. Gay and Mrs. Wm. Joyner, of Rocky Mount, have returned to their homes after a visit to the home of Mrs. James Smith, on South Seventh street.

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Mrs. James Smith and Mrs. Jno. W. Puckett and little daughter, Miss Irene, have returned from a very pleasant visit to friends and relatives at Jacksonville, N. C.

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Mrs. John Rickman, of Sanford, Fla., is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. M. Gilchrist. She will spend some time at the beach and later return home after a visit to the mountains.

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Mrs. P. B. Bell, of Richmond, Va., is spending several weeks with her mother, Mrs. C. P. Kelly. Accompanying Mrs. Bell is Miss Lizzie Wood, of Charlottesville, Va. She will spend two weeks here.

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Yesterday's Raleigh News and Observer: "Mrs. Bernard Crocker and son, Bernard, have returned from a visit to Wilmington and Wrightsville. ——Prof. and Mrs. Gustav Hagedorn passed through the city yesterday en route from Chapel Hill to Wilmington."

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Rocky Mount, N. C., July 19.—At the Church of the Good Shepherd on Wednesday morning a pretty marriage was solemnized when Miss Mary Arrington Thorp became the bride of Mr. J. Lawrence Horne, Jr., both of this city. Rev. R. B. Owens performed the ceremony. The church was tastefully decorated for the occasion with palms and ferns. To the strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding March, the bridal party entered the church as follows: Messrs. M. P. J. Williams, E. R. Hines, H. F. Morton and Caleb Horne, ushers, entered first. They were followed by the maid of honor, Miss Nommie Paris, who carried a shower boquet of sweet peas. Closely following came the bride, dressed in a blue coat suit, leaning on the arm of her father, who gave her away. At the altar they were met by the groom and his best man, Mr. James Cordon, of New York city. There they plighted their troth and then moved up to the chancel, where they were pronounced man and wife by Rev. R. B. Owens, pastor of the church. The contracting parties are both residents of this city, and both are popular and well-known in many parts of the State. Miss Thorp is the oldest daughter of Judge W. L. Thorp, of this city, and is of a prominent family. She is a graduate of the State Normal College at Greensboro, and was president of the class of 1908. Mr. Horne is a graduate of Trinity College, where he graduated in 1909. During his college days, he was cheer leader on the baseball diamond for his Alma Mater for a number of years. While there he was identified with many of the movements that resulted in great good for the college. Since leaving college he has become editor and part owner of the Rocky Mount Evening Telegram, and has the reputation of being the youngest editor of a daily paper in North Carolina. Mrs. Horne is one of the most popular society ladies in this city. The large number of bridal presents from all parts of this State and others is an attestation of the popularity of the couple. Following the ceremony they left on the eight-thirty train for Atlantic City, Providence, Philadelphia, New York and other Northern cities. They will be at home to their many friends at 124 North Church street in this city after August 5th.

PENSION BOARD MEETS

Special Session Yesterday to Pass Upon Applicants

The New Hanover County Pension Board held a called meeting in the office of the Clerk of Superior Court yesterday afternoon for the purpose of considering one or two additional applications for pensions received since the regular meeting a few weeks ago. Capt. Geo. W. Huggins, chairman, presided, and other members present were Gen. Jas. I Metts, Capt R. M. McIntire and Maj. W. N. Harriss, Clerk of Superior Court. Eight new applications for pensions have been received this year and all have been favorably acted upon by the pension board.

Suit Against Coast Line

Suit was started in the Superior Court yesterday by Mr. D. L. Gore against the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, and while the complaint has not yet been filed it is understood that it is an action for damages caused by fire to several tracts of timber owned by the plaintiff. The fires occurred last Summer and the complaint will allege that they were started by sparks from one of the Coast Line engines. The amount of damages asked will probably approximate about $2,000 or $2,500. Ex-Judge E. K. Bryan represents the plaintiff.

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A. C. L. AGRICULTURAL TRAIN

Leaves Raleigh Monday and First Stop Will be Made Tuesday at Smithfield—Three Weeks' Trip Through State

Leaving Raleigh, where it has been equipped at the A. & M. College, tomorrow, the Atlantic Coast Line Agricultural Train will make a three-weeks tour over the Coast Line system in North Carolina. The first stop will be at Smithfield Tuesday morning and the tour will be concluded at Jonesboro on August 8th. There is gerat interest all along the road where the train is to stop and it is expected that hundreds of farmers and others interested in agriculture will take advantage of the opportunity to learn something of the improved methods.

The train will be operated under the general direction of Mr. E. N. Clark, of Wilmington, agricultural and immigration agent of the Atlantic Coast Line in Virginia, North and South Carolina, and Prof. I. O. Schaub, of the A. & M. College, Raleigh, and the United States Department of Agriculture.

Three special features, live stock, drainage and implements, will be emphasized on this train. The train is made up of one box car, to carry feed for stock; one Arms palace stock car; one flat car for display of stock; one baggage car for implements and drainage, one combination baggage and day coach, and one passenger coach. This equipment is furnished and operated by the Atlantic Coast Line.

The live stock will be in charge of Prof. J. C. McNutt, of the A. & M. College, assisted by "Dutch" Neidig and N. Stevens. Fourteen head of horses, cattle and hogs will be used for demonstration. Three of the best dairy cows in North Carolina are included in this number. The Jersey cow produced enough milk in 18 days to equal her own weight. The Holstein gave 1,572 pounds of milk and 85 pounds of butter in 30 days, her record for the year will be about 14,000 pounds of milk. A grade Angus steer and a pure-bred Hereford, each less than a year old, but weighing nearly 1,000 pounds each, represent the beef breeds. Several calves will also be taken. Representatives of three bereds of hogs, Berkshires, Duroc and O. I. C., will be taken from the college herd. A Percheron stallion and mare and the colt less than a year old, but weighing more than a thousand pounds, are the horses that will be on this train.

Dr. Cooper Curtis, of the Bureau of Animal Industry, U. S. Department of Agriculture, will emphasize the importance of the eradication of the cattle tick. This tick is so deadly to good live stock that the government will not allow any of the cattle to be unloaded at any of the stops.

The drainage work will be in charge of Prof. M. E. Sherwin, of the A. & M. College, assisted by L. B. Knight. Specimens of cement and clay tile, the various sizes, and an actual illustration of tile draining a piece of land, will be shown on the car. At each stop a ditch will be dug, and the operation of laying tile will be demonstrated.

The implements will be in charge of Mr. T. D. McLean and Mr. C. O. Schaub, of the farm demonstration work, U. S. Department of Agriculture. Various plows, harrows, cultivators and weeders, will be taken, and as far as possible, a demonstration of these implements will be made at each stop.

Demonstrations will begin promptly at 9:30 A. M., and 2:30 P. M. Two stops a day will be made as follows: July 23rd, Smithfield and Elm City; July 24th, Nashville and Whitakers; July 25th, Scotland Neck and Aulander; July 26th, Gates and Williamston; July 27th, Pactolus and Aurora; July 29th, Ayden and Kinston; July 30th, Goldsboro and Mount Olive; July 31st, Warsaw and Clinton; August 1st, Burgaw and Castle Haynes; August 2nd, Jacksonville and Pollocksville; August 5th, Chadbourn and Fairmont; August 6th, Parkton and Laurinburg; August 7th, Steadman and Manchester; August 8th, Jonesboro.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The steamer City of Fayetteville, Capt. Edge, arrived at daylight yesterday morning with a small party of excursionists from the upper Cape Fear on board. The steamer left last night for the return trip.

—Suit was started in Superior Court yesterday by S. S. Beery vs. the Waccamaw Lumber Company, through Herbert McClammy, Esq., counsel for the plaintiff. It is a damage suit. The complaint has not yet been filed.

—The Star has with compliments of Mr. A. S. Holden, the district agent, a very handsome and significant little souvenir paper weight advertising the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Co., of Newark, N. J. Mr. John C. Drewery, of Raleigh, is the general agent..

—The Yoke Fellow appointments for tomorrow are as follows: City prison, B. A. Robeson and R. E. Lewis; county home, G. C. Bordeaux and W. A. McGirt; Castle Haynes, Rev. A. D. McClure; Wrightsboro, J. B. Woosely and P. Heinsberger; fire station, P. M. Rivenbark and H. E. O'Keef; Wrightsville Sound, L. D. Latta and H. E. O'Keef.

—The British steamer Anglo Canadian, Capt. Jones, which arrived a few days ago with cargo of nitrate of soda, which was discharged at the A. C. L. terminals, was cleared yesterday by Messrs. Heide & Co., light, for New York. Standard Oil Barge No. 57, from New York, also completed discharging yesterday and she was towed to the bar by the tug Argonauta, where she will be taken in tow by one of the Standard tugs for Texas City, Texas.

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NOL PROS IN THE GRAVES CASE

Mrs. Lizzie Richards, Prosecuting Witness, Failed to Appear and Capias Was Issued—Road and Farm Sentences

The feature case in the Recorder's court yesterday morning, that charging B. G. Graves, a white painter of this city, with a simple assault on a female, was nol prossed when Mrs. Lizie Richards, the prosecuting witness failed to appear. A fine of $10 and costs was ordered against the woman and a capias was issued for her.

It will be remembered that Graves was arrested some nights ago, following complaint on the part of the woman that he had entered her room at the Bonitz House and assaulted her. The case was continued several times and Graves was at first sent to jail in default of bond. He was released Tuesday afternoon on $100 bond and has been out since then. He declined to make any statement in regard to the matter, but his friends declared that when the testimony was heard a different light would be thrown on the case. When the prosecuting witness failed to appear yesterday the prosecuting attorney took a nol pros with leave.

Gordon Powell, colored, was tried on two charges, drunk and disorderly and carrying a concealed weapon. He was found guilty in both and was given 30 days on the county roads for being drunk and disorderly and three months for carrying a revolver, making a total of four months on the roads.

Carrie Myers, colored, was convicted of an assault with a deadly weapon upon Steve Washington, colored, and was sentenced to three months on the county farm. She took an appeal to Superior Court and furnished $100 bond for her appearance. Steve Washington was tried on a charge of disorderly conduct and was found not guilty. Thos. Lilly, colored, was found not guilty on a charge of an assault with a deadly weapon.

Dandy Johnson, colored, was up again on a charge of cruelty to animals, making the second or third time he has been tried on this charge in the last month or so. He was found guilty and fined $25 and costs, but when it was found that he had only $25, which was up in a cash bond, the judgment was changed so as to let the $25 cover both the fine and costs.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bass, of Mullins, S. C., were guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Dr. McPhaul and wife, of Lumberton, were here yesterday, guests at The Orton.

—Miss Sallie Smith, of Elkton, and Miss Douglass Hand, of Burgaw, were guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. John L. Everett, child and nurse, of Rockingham, N. C., were here yesterday, guests at The Orton.

—Chief of Police Jno. J. Fowler returned yesterday from Norfolk, where he has been for the past several days on business.

—Dr. Holliday and family, of Athens, Ga., who have been spending some time quite pleasantly at Wrightsville Beach, returned home yesterday.

—Mrs. W. D. Croom and nurse, Miss Ruth Moore and Miss Geneva Moore, of Burgaw, were among the beach visitors registered at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. Walton K. Bethune, business manager of the Lumberton Robesonian, and one of that town's most progressive and enterprising citizens, arrived yesterday to spend a brief sojourn at the beach.

—Messrs. Joe J. Lovelace and Frank A. Miller, of Atlanta, and R. M. Kelley, of Bishopville, S. C., returned yesterday morning to their homes after a week's stay at The Southern.

—Mr. H. G. LaBree, of the sales department of the R. C. H. Company, with headquarters in Atlanta, is here conferring with the Wilmington agency of the company, the Wilmington Auto Repair Co.

—Among the arrivals at The Southern Hotel yesterday were L. B. Dail, Mount Olive; W. F. Flynn, Currie; J. L. Williamson, Jr., and G. C. Hones, Durham; A. Taylor, Hamlet; M. E. Applewhite, Sanford; Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bordeaux, Lemon Springs, N. C.; A. H. Lucas, Burgaw.

—Among the arrivals at the Colonial Hotel yesterday were J. U. Ledbetter, North Carolina; W. B. Mays, Spartanburg; Homer Clark, R. A. Flautt, F. G. Morancy, Alton, Ill.; J. H. Peacock, J. N. Waddy, Atlanta; J. S. Deshazer, Petersburg; A. H. Worn, Richmond; Mr. and Mrs. C. Brice, Fairmont.

—Mr. Walter H. Savory, the popular Southern representative of the Mergenthale Linotype Co., is in the city on his way to Morehead City where he will attend the meeting of the North Carolina Press Association next week. Mr. Savory will deliver one of the addresses before the convention, the subject assigned being, "The Cost of an Inch of Advertising." Incidentally in inquiring of advertising rates in Wilmington he said they were perhaps the lowest of any city in the United States of its size.

ASSISTANT PASTOR ARRIVES

Mr. H. W. Koelling Comes to Take Up His Work In Wilmington

Mr. H. W. Koelling, who was recently called as assistant pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, arrived in the city yesterday morning and is the guest of Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, pastor of the church. Early in the year Mr. Koelling received the call to the local church and he accepted with the understanding that he was not to begin his duties until after he had finished his studies in the Union Theological Seminary in Richmond, Va., from which institution he was graduated last month. Since that time he has been at his home in St. Louis. Mr. Koelling has visited Wilmington several times and has already many friends here. He will be extended a most cordial welcome. Mr. Koelling will preach at St. Andrew's Sunday evening.

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WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH

Mr. St. Julian L. Springs, of Lake Waccamaw, arrived yesterday to spend the week-end at the Seashore Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Rankin and daughter, Miss May Ella Rankin, are at Mrs. Annie J. Northrop's cottage, where they will spend several weeks.

Rev. Dr. J. M. Wells, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, will preach at the beach chapel, near station 2, at 8:30 o'clock tomorrow (Sunday) evening.

Mr. J. C. Patton, the able editor of the Charlotte News, one of the leading afternoon papers of the State, is spending a few days at Wrightsville Beach.

Mrs. B. K. Marshall and children, of Pelham, Ga.; Miss May Shepard and Mrs. J. P. Summers, of Atlanta, are guests at the cottage of Mrs. W. G. Farmer.

Yesterday's Atlanta Georgian: "Mrs. Preston Stone and Misses Nell and Annie Hollingsworth leave today for a two-weeks stay at Wrightsville Beach, N. C."

Charlotte Chronicle: "Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds and son, Master Morgan Reynolds, are spending two weeks at Wrightsville Beach, guests at the Seashore Hotel."

Mr. W. A. Zackery and party went outside from the Oceanic Hotel yesterday morning in the sharpie Edwin, Capt. Oscar Salter. They had a most pleasant trip and caught a large number of fish.

Mr. W. N. Denton, the Associated Press operator on the staff of The Charlotte Observer, is a guest at the Oceanic Hotel for some time. Mr. Denton formerly worked in Wilmington. He is one of the most popular men in the A. P. service.

Report was received at the beach hotels yesterday afternoon that an excursion would arrive today from Atlanta, Ga., over the Seaboard Air Line, bringing about 300 visitors for a stay of several days at the resort. While it was not stated, it is thought that the train will arrive some time early this afternoon.

There were a number of arrivals at the Hanover Inn yesterday and last night and a number of others are expected today. The popular hotel has been crowded with guests and the Myers cottage directly in front of the hotel has been pressed into service. Mr. Warren H. Williams, manager of the hotel, said that he could easily use the cottage for the remainder of the season, but as it has been rented to other parties he will have to give it up today.

Arrivals at the Seashore Hotel yesterday equalled the usual large number who register at the popular hotel on Fridays. Some will stay only for the week-end, while a great many others will spend some time at the resort. Arrivals yesterday included the following: D. M. Middleton, Hot Springs, Va.; W. K. Travel, Sumter, S. C.; Dr. L. B. Owens, Mrs. C. C. Owens, Frank C. Owens, Miss Louise B. Owens, Columbia; Miss Annie M. Moore and Mrs. M. S. Pinckney, Sumter; J. S. Kerr, Charlotte; Edward Henderson, St. Louis; M. A. Coile, Chicago; O. M. Butt, Lumberton; D. D. Brinn, Lemon Springs; D. O. Baldwin, Roanoke; F. O. R. Jenifer, Baltimore; W. E. Finner, Rocky Mount; L. C. Cannon, New York; W. A. McPhaul, Lumberton; J. L. and J. T. Larkin, D. A. McDonald, Jr., Raleigh; Miss Fannie Hotcher, Columbus, Ga.; Mrs. J. M. Madden, Brunswick, Ga.; J. W. Carrie, Tennesaw, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. A. D. R. Lanier and Miss Martha Lanier, Chattancoga; Mrs. Emmett R. Lowe, Miss Myolem L. Printell, C. F. Nunally, John Stewart, Mrs. J. N. Coolesey, Miss Marian Ponder, Atlanta; Mrs. W. C. Walpole and children, Mrs. Percy Beid and son, Birmingham; H. A. Johnson, Atlanta; Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Phillips, Miss Margaret Phillips, Miss Annie Chapman, L. B. Norton, Lincolnton; B. A. Johnson and Miss Bertie Chapman, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Jas. Greene and Miss Julia E. Greene, Macon, Ga.; T. D. Sligh, Darlington, S. C.; G. H. Roff, Miss Roff, Miss Pet Roff, Miss Dora Roff, Columbia; St. Julian L. Springs, Lake Waccamaw; Edward M. Iver and D. O. Spencer, Cheraw; A. A. Leitch, Laurinburg.

The usual large number of Friday arrivals from Atlanta and other points in Georgia and from Alabama and other States were reported from the Oceanic Hotel yesterday, among those registering being the following: D. N. Peden, Chester, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. Ike V. Beacham, Greenville, S. C.; F. M. Whitfield, Philadiphia; W. H. Stimson, New York; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Moore, Douglas, Ga.; W. N. Denton, Charlotte; Miss Bess S. Laid, Atlanta; Ward R. Howard, Louisville, Ky.; Misses Mary Robbins, Gussie M. Potter, Cornie Price, Southport; Will Andell, Columbia; H. T. Smith, Athens, Ga.; A. Bizzell, W. Morgan, M. N. Morgan, G. S. Morgan, Laurinburg; Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Humphries, Miss Julia A. Rogers, Miss Lizzie Walco, Maurice Haas, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Power, H. C. Farrior, Dr. Collins, M. W. Reid, Miss Susie Woodward, W. L. Bennett and family, A. H. Fuller, J. B. Babo, J. W. Cowan, D. K. Clark, Atlanta; Mrs. C. M. Woods and Richard Gordon Woods, Los Angeles, Cal.; Misses Addie Mayne, Sallie Poole, Nettie Poole, Effie Taylor, Atlanta; W. H. Foster, Jr., Chattanooga; Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Orr and son, Mrs. A. O Self, J. A. Yeast, A. G. Powell, Atlanta; Miss Addie Lyman, Charlotte; Miss Lyman, Atlanta; J. M. Stranfe and Frank Moore, Birmingham; C. J. DeLane, Frank Stevens. D. Brady, Donald Glenn, F. E. Farrior, Mack Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Swann, F. M. Holt, Jr., T. L. White, Misses Nell and Annie Hollingsworth, Atlanta; Mrs. H. A. McEachern and Louis McEachern, Jacksonville; Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Holden and Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Summers, White Plains, Ga.; Clowe Price, Q. M. Johnson, Russell Galloway, Birmingham; T. J. Long, Atlanta; W. B. Craig, Baltimore; Russell D. Korren, Louisville, Ky.; John C. Hyman, Charlotte; M. M. George, Mr. and Mrs. Z. Regenstein, nurse and baby, Atlanta.

Companies A and B In Camp

Companies A and B, of the Boys' Brigade, left yesterday morning for Southport, where they will go into camp for their annual outing at the seaport city. Company C, composed of the younger members of the organization, returned to the city on Thursday after remaining in camp for a week. The older members will remain at Southport until next Saturday. Col. Walker Taylor, founder and commander of the Brigade, is in command and Mr. Chas. Dushan, the secretary of the Brigade, is also at the camp. The young men left the city in high spirits, looking forward to a most delightful period of recreation and amusement.

Cavenaugh Paid His Fine

George Cavenaugh, the young white man, who was found guilty in the Recorder's court several days ago of violating the prohibition law and who was fined $200 and costs, yesterday succeeded in raising the money and was released from jail about 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Cavenaugh's uncle obtained a release from Recorder Furlong, to become effective when the money was paid to the Sheriff's office. The uncle paid Jailer John Branch the $200 and Cavenaugh was then released. Recorder Furlong recognized the uncle for the amount of the costs.

RESTORES PLEASING PLUMPNESS

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There are a good many people in Wilmington who ardently wish they could find some way of getting fat and plump. While not ill, yet they are so thin and scrawny that their friends think they cannot be well. In nine cases out of ten this condition can be readily overcome by using the combination of flesh-forming foods known as Samose. This little tablet taken three times a day with the food does wonders in building up good health and restoring the pleasing plumpness that is so desirable.

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Great War Picture.

"Baby Betty," a story of the War Between the States at the Grand Theatre today. **

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In order to close out my Entire Stock of Millinery at Once, I will sell Fine Pattern Hats, some French models, originally worth $10.00, $12.50 and $15.00, at $5.98 each. All $6.50, $7.50 and $8.50 Hats at $2.98 each. Children's and Misses' Ready-to-Wear Hats at Less than Half Price.

Large line Turkish Towel, Felt, Duck and Sailor Hats just received, to go for less than cost.

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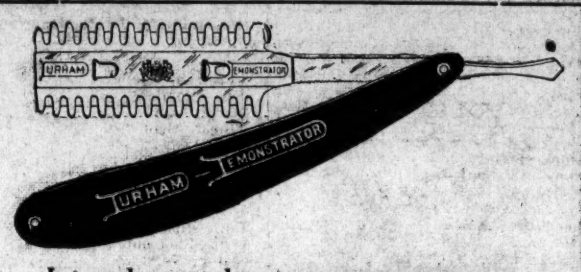

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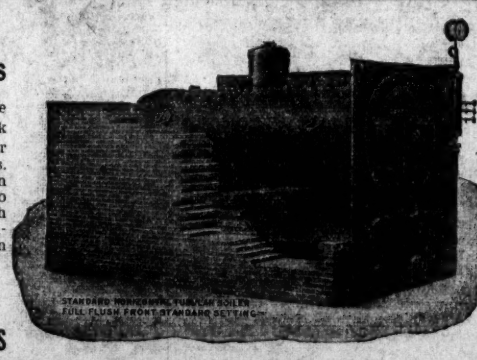

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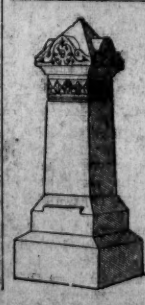

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Financial and Commercial

NEW HIGH RECORDS COTTON

New Crop Deliveries Above 12 1-2 Cents—Covering by Large Sellers—Takings of New England and Southern Mills

New York, July 19.—New high records were made in the cotton market today with new crop deliveries selling above 12 1-2 cents for the first time this season on an active demand, probably inspired by increasing fear of crop damage in the Eastern belt.

The close was several points off from the best under realizing, but the final tone was steady with prices net one point higher to two points lower. The market opened steady at a decline of 5 to 8 pounds under scattering liquidation and local selling, encouraged by reports of good rains in some parts of the Southwest and relatively easy Liverpool cables. The improvement in the Western belt condition, however, appeared to be offset by the rains east of the river and with the Eastern belt forecast falling for continued showers there was enough covering by recent large sellers to absorb offerings and as soon as scattering liquidation had run its course prices began to work higher. When the market reached 12.50 for October and December there was more cotton for sale and it was rumored that leading long interests were reducing their lines but on a reaction to the closing of yesterday, while covering continued in sufficient volume to send October contracts up to 12.53 or 11 points over the closing figures of yesterday. The list generally showed a net advance of from 8 to 11 points at this time, but realizing again checked the upward movement and prices reacted later under profit-taking of renewed selling for a turn. Rather bullish week-end figures and reports that buyers from New England and Southern mills were looking over the local stock may have helped the advance during the early afternoon. The bulk of the demand, however, was attributed by local traders to covering of shorts who were supposed to apprehend an unfavorable August bureau.

Receipts 2,377 bales, against 4,120 last week and 926 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 987 bales, against 381 last year, and at Houston 384, against 63 last year, and at Galveston 717 bales, against 146 last year.

Spot closed quiet and 20 points higher; middling uplands, 12.80; do. gulf, 13.05; sales, 400 bales.

Futures closed steady.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Jan	12.38	12.53	12.36	12.44
Feb	.....	.....	.....	12.47
Mar	12.48	12.61	12.48	12.55
May	12.55	12.70	12.55	12.61
July	12.13	12.28	12.13	12.23
Aug	12.30	12.16	12.25	
Sept	12.25	12.40	12.25	12.33
Oct	12.35	12.53	12.34	12.42
Nov	.....	.....	.....	12.46
Dec	12.37	12.54	12.37	12.44

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Firm, 12¾; net receipts, 717; gross receipts, 717; sales, 339; stock, 27,718; coastwise, 680.

New Orleans—Quiet, 13¼; net receipts, 987; gross receipts, 1,014; sales, 70; stock, 33,361; coastwise, 341.

Mobile—Net receipts, 28; gross receipts, 28; stock, 1,160; coastwise, 58.

Savannah—Steady, 12; net receipts, 263; gross receipts, 263; stock, 25,317; coastwise, 398.

Charleston—Nominal; stock, 7,691; coastwise, 486.

Wilmington—Net receipts, 1; gross receipts, 1; sales, 64; stock, 317.

Norfolk—Steady, 13¼; net receipts, 234; gross receipts, 234; sales, 18; stock, 21,763; coastwise, 187.

Baltimore—Nominal, 13; net receipts, 66; gross receipts, 66; stock, 4,563; coastwise, 1,495.

New York—Quiet, 12.80; gross receipts, 320; sales, 400; stock, 136,038; coastwise, 254.

Boston—Quiet, 12.80; net receipts, 23; gross receipts, 2,067; stock, 5,615.

Philadelphia—Steady, 13.05; stock, 2,623.

Brunswick—Net receipts, 38; gross receipts, 68; stock, 4; coastwise, 58.

Total today, at all ports—Net, 2,377; stock, 266,172.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 11,348; Great Britain, 4,325; France, 617; continent, 22,124.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 11,827,965; Great Britain, 4,128,524; France, 1,161,342; continent, 4,427,928; Japan, 512,196; Mexico, 8,913.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 12¾; net receipts, 384; gross receipts, 384; shipments, 1,129; sales, 56; stock, 23,220.

Augusta—Quiet, 13; net receipts, 69; gross receipts, 69; shipments, 600; sales, 35; stock, 24,377.

Memphis—Steady, 12½; net receipts, 97; gross receipts, 477; shipments, 1,426; sales, 350; stock, 12,916.

St. Louis—Steady, 12¾; net receipts, 39; gross receipts, 26; stock, 8,926.

Cincinnati—Shipments, 70; stock, 21,795.

Little Rock—Firm, 12¾; net receipts, 11; gross receipts, 11; shipments, 38; stock, 8,451.

Louisville—Firm, 12¾; shipments, 18; sales, 7; stock, 50.

Total today—Net receipts, 561; gross receipts, 980; shipments, 3,307; sales, 448; stock, 99,735.

CHICAGO GRAIN.

Chicago, July 19.—Announcement of the closing of the Dardanelles by Turkish-Italian hostilities brought about much excitement today in the wheat trade and caused the market to finish at a net advance of one to two cents a bushel. Latest transactions left corn irregular, ranging from ⅝c. off to 1c. up, oats with a gain of ½@⅝ to 1⅛c. and provisions dearer by 5 to 22½c.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 97½@100½; No. 2, hard, 96½@1.01.

Corn—No. 3, 69@70¼; No. 3, yellow, 70@70¾.

Oats—No. 3, white, 50@51½; standard, 50¾@52½.

Wheat:	Close.
July	97¾
Sept	94¾
Dec	97¼
May	101¼
Corn:	
July	69¾
Sept	65½
Dec	56¾
May	57½
Oats:	
July	42⅞
Sept	33⅝
Dec	34¾
May	37½
Pork:	
July	17.37½
Sept	17.67½
Oct	17.75
Jan	18.07½
Lard:	
July	10.47½
Sept	10.67½
Oct	10.67½
Jan	10.25
Ribs:	
July	10.37½
Sept	10.50
Oct	10.45

MARINE.

Arrived.

Str. City of Fayetteville, Edge, Fayetteville, S. M. King.

Str. Duplin, Stokes, Smith's Bridge, J. A. Munn.

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Schr. Stephen G. Lond, 409 tons, Graham, Maffitt & Wood; in distress.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at Port of Wilmington.

Atlantic Coast Line—1 bale cotton; 8 casks spirits turpentine; 38 barrels rosin; 17 barrels crude turpentine.

Schr. George Slover—11 casks spirits turpentine; 32 barrels rosin.

Total—1 bale cotton; 19 casks spirits turpentine; 70 barrels rosin; 17 barrels crude turpentine.

THE PRODUCE MARKET

New York, July 19.—Flour steadier with wheat.

Rye Flour—Steady.

Cornmeal—Quiet.

Rye—Nominal.

Barley—Quiet.

Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red 1.06 1-2 to 1.08 1-2 elevator export basis and export 1.08 1-2 f.o.b. afloat to arrive. Futures 3-4 to 1 3-4 net higher. July 1.08 1-4; Sept. 1.01 1-2; Dec. 1.04.

Corn—Spot easy; export and afloat.

Oats—Spot quiet, standard 57 1-2 in elevator; No. 2 57 1-2.

Pork—Steady.

Beef—Steady.

Cutmeats—Quiet.

Lard—Steadier.

Tallow—Quiet.

Petroleum—Steady.

Wool—Steady.

Rice—Firm.

Molasses—Steady.

Sugar—Raw, steady. Refined, steady.

Cheese—Steady and unchanged.

Butter—Quiet and easy.

Eggs—Irregular.

Coffee—Quiet, No. 7 Rio 14 1-4. Futures steady, Sept. 13.09; March 13.39.

Potatoes—Steady, new Southern No. 1 barrel 2.25 to 250, more or less defective 1.75 to 2.12; Jersey and Long Island new 2.25 to 2.50; sweets, yellow barrel 4.50 to 6.00; red 3.50 to 4.00.

Cabbages—Weaker at 1.00 to 1.25 per barrel.

Freights and Peanuts—Unchanged.

Further sharp advances occurred in cotton seed oil today, influenced by the strength of lard and cotton and lighter offerings of crude, closing 5 to 15 points net higher. July 6.41 to 6.50; August 6.57 to 6.59; Sept. 6.67 to 6.68; Oct. 6.69 to 6.70; Nov. 6.34 to 6.38. Prime crude nominal, do. Summer yellow 6.40 to 6.60; do. Winter yellow 6.75; do. Summer white 6.50.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, July 19.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Steady, at 42¾c. per gallon.

ROSIN—Steady, $5.90 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Firm, $2.00 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, $3.25 per barrel for hard; $4.75 for dip; $4.75 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year: Spirits turpentine, $5.00; rosin, $5.00; tar, $2.20; crude turpentine, $3.00 for hard; $4.50 for dip, $4.50 for virgin.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	19
Rosin	70
Tar	(—)
Crude Turpentine	17

Receipts same day last year, 27 casks spirits turpentine; 116 barrels rosin; 12 barrels tar; 83 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year—Nothing doing.

Receipts—1 bale; Same day last year, 25.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, July 18.)

CORN—Firm; $1.10 per bu.

PEAS—White, no sales. Mixed, $1.60.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, 85c. to $1.00 per bu.

BEEF—On foot, good demand, 3@4c. per lb.; dressed, 8c.

PORK—Small, 10@11c.

WOOL—Burry, .11@.12c. per lb.; free of burr, 16c. per lb.

HIDES—Green, .08 to .09½ per lb.; dry, 14 to 15c. per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, old, 17 to 18c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 13c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm; 28c. per lb.

TALLOW—Firm; 4½ to 5c. per lb.

POULTRY—Chickens, grown, 40 to 45c. per head; chickens, Spring, 15c. to 30c. per head.

SHEEP—Old, $1.00@$2.50; lambs, $1.00@$3.00.

EGGS—Very dull, 17 to 18c.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)
Wilmington, July 16.

Market—Steady.

North Carolinas—Farmers' stock: Prime hand-picked, 70@75c.; machine-picked, 65@70c.

Spanish—Prime hand picked, $1.00; machine picked, 95c.

Virginias—Prime hand-picked, 88c.; machine picked, 80c.

NAVAL STORES MARKET.

New York, July 19.—Rosin, quiet. Turpentine, easy.

Charleston, July 19.—Turpentine, firm, at 93¼.

Rosin—Firm. Quote: B, 6.10@6.15; D, 6.00@6.05; E, 6.75; F, G, 6.90@6.95; H, 6.90@6.97½; I, 6.95@6.97½; K, 7.00@7.10; M, 7.05@7.10; N, 7.35@7.40; W G, 7.45@7.50; W W, 7.55.

Savannah, July 19.—Turpentine, firm, at 43¾. Sales, 1,130; receipts, 962; shipments, 607; stock, 34,983.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 2,027; receipts, 3,824; shipments, 2,200; stock, 104,407. Quote: D, 6.00@7.05; E, 6.05; F, G, H and I, 7.00; K, 7.05@7.10; M, 7.10@7.25; N and W G, 7.50; W W, 7.50@7.55.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, July 19.—Money on call steady 2 1-2 to 3 per cent.; ruling rate 2 3-4. Time loans steady, 60 days 3 1-4 per cent.; six months 4 1-4 to 4 1-2. Prime mercantile paper 4 1-2 per cent. Sterling exchange firm 4.85 for 60 day bills, and 4.8770 for demand. Commercial bills 4.84 1-2.

GREATER ACTIVITY IN STOCKS

Gains of Past Few Days Increased—Expert Manipulation and Inside Absorption Having Their Effect—Betterment.

New York, July 19.—To the accompaniment of greater activity today's stock market increased its gains of the past few days. The rise was so gradual as to be almost imperceptible and gave color to the belief that the movement was deriving its chief impulse from expert manipulation, as well as inside absorption.

The same conditions that served earlier in the week—the crop outlook—increased activity in various fields of industry and easier money, were again contributing factors. United States Steel was under some pressure at times but soon moved forward with other speculative favorites, although in lesser degree than Union Pacific St. Paul, Amalgamated Copper and numerous specialties. Some of the latter advanced two to five points.

Reports of general betterment in most lines of trade found confirmation in the increased bank exchanges, although this gratifying condition is somewhat nullified by poor collections in certain sections.

Bonds were steady with total sales, par value, $1,985,000. United States government bonds were unchanged. Total sales 299,400 shares.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers, pfd	21½
Amalgamated Copper	83⅜
American Agricultural	61
American Beet Sugar	73⅜
American Can	36⅞
American Car and Foundry	57¾
American Cotton Oil	52⅜
American Hide and Leather, pfd	24¼
American Ice Securities	25
American Linseed	13⅜
American Locomotive	43
American Smelting and Refining	83¾
American Smelting and Refining, pfd	107½
American Steel Foundries	34½
American Sugar Refining	128⅛
American Tel and Tel	143⅛
American Tobacco, pfd	109
American Woolen	29
Anaconda Mining Co	41⅝
Atchison	108⅜
Atchison, pfd	102¾
Atlantic Coast Line	140
Baltimore and Ohio	109⅝
Bethlehem Steel	35¾
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	92⅛
Canadian Pacific	206⅝
Central Leather	27
Central Leather, pfd	92¼
Central of New Jersey	395
Chesapeake and Ohio	80⅞
Chicago and Alton	18
Chicago Great Western	16⅞
Chicago Great Western, pfd	33½
Chicago and North Western	138½
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	103½
C., C., C. and St. Louis	59
Colorado Fuel and Iron	30½
Colorado and Southern	42
Consolidated Gas	145¼
Corn Products	15¼
Delaware and Hudson	167
Denver and Rio Grande	19¼
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	35½
Distillers' Securities	31½
Erie	34⅞
Erie, 1st pfd	52⅝
Erie, 2nd pfd	42¾
General Electric	179½
Great Northern, pfd	137½
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	43
Illinois Central	130¾
Interborough-Met	20⅝
Interborough-Met., pfd	56⅜
Inter-Harvester	119¾
Inter-Marine, pfd	16¾
International Paper	15⅞
International Pump	26½
Iowa Central	13
Kansas City Southern	24½
Kansas City Southern, pfd	57
Laclede Gas	106
Louisville and Nashville	157⅝
Minneapolis and St. Louis	18¾
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	146½
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	26¾
Missouri, Kansas and Texas, pfd	50
Missouri Pacific	36⅜
National Biscuit	145½
National Lead	58¾
Nat. Rys. of Mexico, 2nd pfd	31
New York Central	116
New York, Ontario and Western	32⅝
Norfolk and Western	116¾
North American	81
Northern Pacific	121⅝
Pacific Mail	31
Pennsylvania	123¾
People's Gas	116
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	107¾
Pittsburg Coal	21
Pressed Steel Car	35
Pullman Palace Car	161½
Railway Steel Spring	33
Reading	163¾
Republic Steel	26½
Republic Steel, pfd	84½
Rock Island Co	24⅜
Rock Island Co., pfd	48¾
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	37¼
St. Louis Southwestern	32
St. Louis Southwestern, pfd	73½
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	55
Southern Pacific	110⅝
Southern Railway	29½
Southern Railway, pfd	77⅝
Tennessee Copper	43¼
Texas and Pacific	22½
Toledo, St. Louis and Western	13
Toledo, St. Louis and Western, pfd	31
Union Pacific	167⅜
Union Pacific, pfd	90⅛
United States Realty (ex. div.)	84½
United States Rubber	52½
United States Steel	70⅝
United States Steel, pfd	112
Utah Copper	62
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	49⅝
Wabash	4
Wabash, pfd	13⅜
Western Maryland	57½
Westinghouse Electric	76⅜
Western Union	82¾
Wheeling and Lake Erie	61½
American Tobacco	257
Seaboard Air Line	23
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	53

COTTON RECEIPTS.

New York, July 18—The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1st:

Galveston	3,504,282
New Orleans	1,645,526
Mobile	380,903
Savannah	2,373,742
Charleston	413,927
Wilmington	548,529
Norfolk	751,673
Baltimore	119,148
New York	6,300
Boston	62,655
Newport News	33,79[illegible]
Philadelphia	1,026
San Francisco	212,278
Brunswick	430,187
Port Townsend	215,746
Pensacola	215,793
Port Arthur	199,787
Jacksonville	50,418
Laredo, Tex	4,582
Georgetown	1,160
Gulfport	65,291
Texas City	580,468
Minor Ports	4,065
Total bales	11,827,965

THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, July 19.—The cotton goods market ruled firm with a moderate business being done. Men's wear lines opened at advances for Spring are being looked over carefully by buyers. Fine cottons are firmer. Yarns rule steady to firm. More activity is reported in silks and ribbons.

WEEK'S WEATHER CONDITIONS

Largely Swayed Cotton Market During Past Week—Prices Irregular—Drift Mainly Downward—Bearish Reports

New York, July 19.—The cotton market has been swayed largely by weather conditions during the week and as these have cut both ways, prices have been more or less irregular.

Early in the week, however, the general drift was downward. That was due mainly to the fall of needed rains in Texas. Many of the crop reports from that State including some published in Texas papers, have been very favorable. The contention of some is that with one good soaking rainfall over the State in the near future, the yield in Texas is likely to approximate if not exceed 5,000,000 bales. Some bearish reports have been received from parts of Alabama, Mississippi and the Carolinas. Bears assert that the crop east of the Mississippi has suffered no damage that a spell of dry, forcing weather cannot repair. It is argued, too, that present prices amply discount any damage that has yet occurred to the crop.

Manchester has been reported distinctly quieter. The spot sales in Liverpool have been at the rate of 7,000 to 8,000 bales a day, much of the week. The South has sold freely at times and there has been scattered liquidation for local, Wall Street and commission house account. Some Western houses after liquidating long accounts have sold for the decline. But of late an upward tendency has developed. If beneficial rains have fallen in Texas, excessive and unwelcome rains have persisted in the region east of the Mississippi. Reports to the effect that the prolonged wet weather is seriously injuring the crop are becoming more numerous and from a wider stretch of territory. What is more, they are finding an increasing number of believers who have bought. Damage from army worms and other pests, moreover, is declared to be on the increase in many important sections of the Eastern belt. From Texas, too complaints of droughty conditions have continued to be received from some sections which have not been visited by rains. There is a noticeable tendency in some quarters to reduce crop estimates. Meantime, the spot markets continue firm and a good demand is still reported at the South for desirable cotton which is said to be increasingly difficult to obtain. It appears, too, that the new cotton when it begins to move, will not want for buyers. According to a report which has been circulated here of late, at Galveston alone engagements have been made for anywhere from 50,000 to 75,000 bales for shipment to Europe, much of it August clearance. Large spot interests have been steady buyers here of October and it is predicted by some that decidedly interesting developments are likely to occur in that month. Outside public interest in the market has been announced of late mainly as a result of continued wet weather in the Western belt and the very gloomy reports which are being received from parts of that region. On Friday the market was nervous and irregular ending higher on active buying by spot interests and covering by leading Wall Street shorts on further heavy rains in the Eastern belt and bullish crop reports.

FAVORABLE CROP PROSPECTS

Keynote of Bradstreet's Review of Trade for the Week

New York, July 19.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say: The keynote of this week's developments is quite accurately epitomized in the phrase "favorable crop prospects." As a natural result optimism as regards future trade has notably increased and some reflection of this sentiment has already been experienced in a heavier demand from the Spring wheat northwest, where crops are especially promising. Moreover, retail trade has been stimulated by hot weather and clearance sales, the iron and steel trade retains all of its former life, the railways are beginning to talk of car shortages in the Fall. There is somewhat more doing in drygoods, though demand has not yet expanded in a noteworthy way. In fact, visiting representatives of jobbing houses are not taking hold freely, though purchases cover a wide range of goods, with staples receiving the call, while buying of novelties will apparently be deferred until drummers make their visits. Prices of textiles are firm and tend higher, with some lines in scant supply. Leather is very strong and new buying of shoes is quite moderate. Collections vary, but it is probable that there has been a little betterment, except at Southern points where payments continue slow.

Business failures in the United States for the week ending July 18th were 283, against 252 last week, and 239 in the like week of 1911.

COMPARATIVE COTTON STATEMENT.

New York, July 18.—For the week ending Friday, July 18:

Net receipts at all U. S. ports during week, 11,348.

Net receipts at all U. S. ports same week last year, 4,890.

Total receipts since September 1st, 11,827,905.

Total receipts to same date last year, 8,468,142.

Exports for the week, 27,066.

Exports for same week last year, 12,035.

Total exports since September 1st, 10,238,903.

Total exports same date last year, 7,337,212.

Stock at all United States ports, 266,172.

Stock at all United States ports same time last year, 164,272.

Stock at all interior towns, 110,039.

Stock at all interior towns same time last year, 93,594.

Stock at Liverpool, 889,000.

Stock at Liverpool same time last year, 588,000.

Stock of American afloat for Great Britain same time last year, 13,000.

Insect Bite Costs Leg.

A Boston man lost his leg from the bite of an insect two years before. To avert such calamities from stings and bites of insects use Bucklen's Arnica Salve promptly to kill the poison and prevent inflammation, swelling and pain. Heals burns, boils, ulcers, piles, eczema, cuts, bruises. Only 25 cents at R. R. Bellamy.

Fire Works

Tuesday night, July 23rd, in front of Lumina, 9 P. M. 4t.

LIGHT WEIGHT MONEY.

Millions in Gold Coin Not Worth Face Value.

Washington, July 17.—There probably are millions of dollars in gold coin circulating in the United States which are not worth their face value, but the government has no intention of recalling the money in order that only gold of standard value may be in circulation.

Should this gold be presented to the Treasury or sub-treasuries, its owners would be the losers, because of the enormous wear caused by abrasions in circulation. While the government does not require that gold coins should be of standard weight to be redeemed at their face value, it has established what is known as a "limit of tolerance," which permits a loss in weight of one-half of one per cent. Below that limit, the Treasury makes a reduction at the rate of four cents per grain.

Lightweight gold, it is said, exists principally on the Pacific coast, where the greater bulk of the metal is in circulation. The financial interests in the West, the Treasury has been advised, know two kinds of gold—treasury gold and bank gold. The former is full weight, while the latter is below the "limit of tolerance." The worn gold never reaches the Treasury or the sub-treasuries. According to reports here, it is passed from bank to bank and individual to individual, like a plugged coin and in that way maintains its parity of value.

Silver coin is always worth its face value, however much abused by the ravages of time.

NOT TO USE EMBLEM.

Third Partyists in Kansas Up Against an Injunction.

Newton, Kan., July 17.—A temporary restraining order was issued by Judge C. E. Branine, in the District Court here today, enjoining every county clerk in Kansas from printing on the official primary ballot under the head of Republican party, those candidates for Presidential electors who have openly declared they will support Theodore Roosevelt, if elected.

The proceedings were filed by Fred Stanley, Republican National committeeman, and State Senator F. Dumon Smith. The plaintiffs are R. A. Marks, of Hodgman county, and others, alleging themselves to be members of the Republican party," who signed the petitions for nomination of said candidates for electors under promise that they would support the Republican nominee for President."

The case will be heard at Hutchinson on July 22nd.

Mr. Stanley said: "We assert that the Democrats or any other party candidates for electors have as much right to have their names printed under the name, emblem and circle of the Republican party, as a set of men who openly declare they will not support the party nominee in the elestoral college, should they be elected."

Eight electors named before the Chicago convention met, have declared they will not support President Taft if they are elected.

DISCONTENT AT SULTAN.

Turkish Cabinet Resigns Because of Revolt in Army.

Constantinople, July 17.—The Turkish cabinet resigned today because of the revolt in the army against the methods of the committee of union and progress.

The resignation of the Turkish cabinet is a sequel to that of Mahmoud Shefket Pasha, Minister of War, on July 10. There have been numerous reports of disaffection among the Turkish troops, especially those fighting against the Albanian rebels. Hundreds of desertions of both officers and men to the rebel side are known to have occurred. It has been reported that a majority of the Turkish soldiers were inclined to make common cause with the Albanian insurgents.

A dispatch from Athens says it is semi-officially declared there that a serious movement was on foot among the Turkish officers and members of the Liberal party in Turkey to place Prince Mejid Effendi, son of Sultan Mourad on the Turkish throne, owing to discontent with the present Sultan.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

Petersburg, Va., July 18.—Spanish—Market, firm. Farmers' Spanish, 92½c. per bushel. Jumbo Spanish, 87½c. per bushel. No. 1, Shelled Spanish, 5½c. per lb. No. 2, Shelled Spanish, 4c. per lb.

Virginia—Market, firm. Fancy Jumbo, 4c. per lb. Fancy Hand Picked, 3⅞c. to 3¾c. per lb. Extra Prime, 3½c. per lb. Prime, 3¼c. per lb. Machine Picked, 3c. to 3½c. per lb. Shelling Stock, 2½c. per lb.

Washington, July 18.—A. Mitchell Innes, charge of the British embassy, appeared at the State Department this afternoon and it was understood that he bore with him the British protest against the pending Panama canal legislation, which was expected to arrive in New York yesterday by mail steamer. It appeared, however, that Mr. Innes had called to notify Secretary Knox that for some reason unknown to him, the document had not yet arrived. Consequently the Secretary and the charge agreed to refrain from any discussion of the subject pending the receipt of the papers.

Columbus, O., July 18.—An official report of the assistant actuary of the State Liability Board today declares he has discovered a cat at the Goodman plant in Hamilton that has adopted a nest of eight young rats. The mother rat had been killed by employees of the plant. The report says the cat is mothering the rats just as if they were her own offspring.

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THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

July 20, 1912.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 78 degrees; at 8 P. M., 73 degrees; maximum, 90 degrees; minimum, 71 degrees; mean, 80 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, 1.14; rainfall for the month, to date, 2.04.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday, 4.3 feet.

WEATHER FORECAST.

For North Carolina—Local showers, Saturday and probably Sunday.

Port Calendar—July 20.

Sun rises	5:15 A. M.
Sun sets	7:25 P. M.
Day's length	14 hrs. 10 min.

	Tides. High water. A.M.	P.M.	Low water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington	2:18	2:58	9:20	10:07
Southport	12:13	12:46	10:07	7:07
Masonboro Inlet	11:44	12:17	6:02	6:31

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

July 19, 1912.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature. Highest today.	Lowest. Last night.	24-hour precipitation, 8 P. M.
Abilene	cloudy	92	74	.0
Asheville	cloudy	80	66	.18
Atlanta	cloudy	86	70	.0
Augusta	cloudy	90	74	.0
Birmingham	cloudy	86	72	.28
Boston	cloudy	78	70	.82
Charleston	pt cldy	88	76	.06
Charlotte	cloudy	86	70	.12
Chicago	cloudy	66	60	.0
Galveston	pt cldy	84	80	.0
Jacksonville	clear	90	74	.0
Memphis	cloudy	88	74	.0
Mobile	cloudy	84	76	.48
Montgomery	cloudy	86	72	.28
New Orleans	cloudy	86	72	.55
New York	clear	76	68	.0
Oklahoma	clear	92	68	.0
Pittsburg	clear	72	56	.02
Raleigh	raining	88	74	.66
Savannah	pt cldy	86	76	.9
Shreveport	cloudy	78	74	.50
St. Louis	cloudy	78	64	.0
Washington	clear	76	70	.0

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET

Liverpool, July 19.—Spot quiet; prices four points higher; American middling fair 8.00; good middling 7.60; middling 7.24; low middling 7.00; good ordinary 6.52; ordinary 6.04.

Sales 8,000 bales, including 6,900 American. No receipts. Futures opened steady and closed quiet. July 7.00; July and August 6.98 1-2; August and Sept. 6.93; Sept. and Oct. 6.80 1-2; Oct. and Nov. 6.74 1-2; Nov. and Dec. 6.70; Dec. and Jan 6.69; Jan. and Feb. 6.69; Feb. and March 6.69 1-2; March and April 6.70; April and May 6.71; May and June 6.72.

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Leave Chapel Hill, 8:20 A. M.	4.75
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NORTH CAROLINA, NEW HANOVER County—In the Superior Court. Service of Summons: William Warring vs. Annie Bell Warring, Notice. The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of New Hanover County to dissolve the bond of matrimony between the said William Warring and the said Annie Bell Warring, and the said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the term of the Superior Court of said county to be held on Monday, the 23rd day of September, 1912, at the Court House of said county, in Wilmington, North Carolina, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This 11th day of July, 1912.

W. N. HARRISS,
Clerk of the Superior Court.

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Wilmington to Niagara Falls, via Norfolk—$35.50.

Wilmington to Atlantic City, all rail $25.60.

Wilmington to Atlantic City, via Norfolk—$24.25.

Tickets sold daily, good to return until October 31st—are good to stop over if route so reads at

EMPLOY PRIVATE DETECTIVES

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"That is a very dangerous point," said the attorney, "and I cannot discuss it."

At the questioning of the prisoners by the district attorney no members of the police department were present. With the party, however, were two private detectives.

The private detectives hurried away after the conference, and Mr. Whitman declared he was going out of town on an important mission. "The case is progressing very satisfactorily," was all he would say.

From the police side of the investigation there were few important developments on the surface today.

Nothing has been seen of "Big Jack" Zelig, the notorious "gun man," whom the police were said to be anxious to question regarding a favor they had heard "Jack" Rose, gambler, and the man who hired the "murder car," nac asked of him on the night of the crime. Zelig is known as the right-hand man of Sam Paul, an East Side gang leader. The reward declared to have been offered him was freedom from the charge of carrying a concealed weapon, now pending against him. Paul was at police headquarters during the afternoon. He declined to make any public statement.

It was talk in quarters usually well informed regarding "under-world" affairs today that the price paid for killing Rosenthal had been learned by the police. The figure named was $2,000. The identity of at least two of the five men who were in the murder party is known in these quarters, it was added, and they are said to have been seen on East Side streets by acquaintances several times since Monday night.

Police Lieutenant Charles Becker, the man accused by Rosenthal in his first revelations of alleged partnership between gamblers and police, had the greater part of the "strong arm squad" which he has commanded, taken away from him today. Commissioner Waldo gave the order which transferred eight of these detectives to another lieutenant. Four detectives were left in Becker's office to clean up some pending clerical work, it was said.

THINKS HER HUSBAND DEAD.

Mobile Druggist Vanished Eleven Years Ago, Wife Takes Action.

Mobile, Ala., July 19.—Unless Thos. F. Moore, at one time a prosperous druggist of this city, puts in an appearance within the next few weeks he will be declared legally dead. Whether he is dead or alive there is no positive evidence. His wife and relatives, however, are inclined to believe him dead. Through the filing of a petition for letters of administration on the estate of Moore in the probate court, the legal means to declare the man dead have been taken. The estate involved is considerable.

It has been more than 11 years since Thomas F. Moore left this city for New York, ostensibly to accept a position in that city after having disposed of his drug business here. Moore advised his wife here of his arrival there. Next came a letter stating that he was about to enter a hospital, but would be out within a few days.

This was the last ever heard of Moore. It is known that a letter sent to him after he had written his wife that he was going to a hospital never reached Moore. No tidings of Moore came of a search in New York. Detectives were put on the case. Every clue that came under the observations of the relatives here was run down, but without result.

QUIET DAY FOR WILSON.

Attended to Correspondence and Received Few Visitors.

Sea Girt, N. J., July 19.—Governor Wilson spent a quiet day at his Summer home today, most of which was devoted to his correspondence and to welcoming visitors who called to congratulate him. Among the latter were Mayor Preston, of Baltimore; Representative W. A. Jones, of Virginia, and Mr. Slaydon, of Texas; Marry St. George Tucker and Richard Evelyn Byrd, of Virginia, the latter Speaker of the House of Delegates, and Augustus Thomas, the playwright. Mr. Thomas was the Governor's guest at luncheon.

The Governor said tonight that there was no political significance to be attached to the visits of his callers, with the single exception of Chairman McCombs, of the National Committee. He discussed very briefly with Mr. McCombs, he said, the work of the campaign committee. Charles P. Taft, a brother of the President, passed the Governor's cottage in an automobile today, saluted the flag of the rifle range, in front of the cottage, but did not stop.

RUSSIA AND JAPAN.

Pact Establishing Defensive Alliance Between These Two Countries.

St. Petersburg, July 19.—The signature is impending of a pact establishing a defensive aliance between Russia and Japan. This momentous development would seem to be connected with the approaching trip to Russia of the Japanese statesman, Prince Katsura, but his visit is a mere coincidence. The actual agreement was fully concluded a fortnight ago and likely will be signed for Japan by Baron Motono, the Japanese ambassador to Russia, who was its negotiator and prime mover. The agreement consists of two parts, one dealing with the delimitation of the spheres of influence of Russia and Japan in Mongolia and Manchuria which is similar in scope and character to the Anglo-Russian accord of August 31st, 1907, regarding Persia, etc. The second part deals with the duty of the two powers for a joint defense in case either power is attacked.

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American National Bank—Savings.
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Business Locals.

Wanted—Rooms.
B. May—Delicatessen Store.
L. T. New—Saturday Specials.
Brunswick Grocery Co.—Special.
Palace Market—Spring Chickens.
Wil. Employment Agency—Wanted.

TURKEY'S DIFFICULTIES

Sultan Reads Proclamation to the Army — The Attack

Constantinople, July 19.—The grave nature of the government's difficulties is revealed in a proclamation of the Sultan to the army which was read to the garrison here today. After announcing the appointment of Tewfik Pasha as grand visier the proclamation reminds the troops of their oath of loyalty, and referring to demands made by certain officers as contrary to the constitution and supreme rights of the Khalifate, exhorts the army not to mix into politics but to devote itself exclusively to the defense of the country. The proclamation concludes by pointing out that the officers' treasonable attitude had encouraged the enemy to the extent "that the enemy dared last night to approach the very gates of the capital. Should constitute a warning.

The proclamation was provoked by a meeting of officers at the war office which delegated Nazim Pasha and Hadi Pasha to submit to the Sultan the officers' demands for the dissolution of the chamber of deputies and the appointment of Kiamil Pasha as grand vizier.

Press dispatches from the Dardanelles assert that after the Italian torpedo boats which attacked the entrance of the Dardanelles early this morning retired twenty-one large and small war vessels were sighted from the straits steaming in a southerly course. These dispatches add that five cruisers are still reported off the Dardanelles.

London, July 19.—The mystery surrounding the reported attack upon the Dardanelles by Italian torpedo boats and their repulse with the loss of two vessels and the damage of six others, coupled with the proclamation of the Sultan of Turkey exhorting the troops to remain loyal suggests the possibility that another revolution is brewing in Constantinople. The Italian government denies knowledge of an attack by its torpedo boats upon the Dardanelles and while dispatches confirm the fact that a cannonade of some description took place all reports concerning an Italian attack and of the damage inflicted upon the Italian torpedo boats come from official Turkish sources and are not confirmed by press dispatches.

The suggestion is made that the bombardment was engineered by the Turkish government as a means of influencing the Turks, by reminding them that the enemy was at the doors of the capital, thus counteracting a military revolution and assisting in the solution of the political crisis.

PERU TO BE CALLED.

England Will Act With United States in Suppressing Outrages.

London, July 19.—Referring to atrocities committed in the Putumayo rubber district of Peru, which have been characterized here as surpassing in horror anything charged to the rubber collectors of the Congo, a series of questions was launched at the British Foreign Office in the Commons this afternoon.

From the replies given it was apparent that the Foreign Office expects to take a subordinate place to the State Department at Washington in bringing Peru to book.

"It is clear, I think," said Francis D. Ackland, Parliamentary Secretary of Foreign Affairs, "that the United States has a better opportunity of getting things done than any other government interested."

Mr. Ackland also referred to the question raised by the United States government as to whether Peru is a suitable State to have control of a district like the Putumayo, or whether that government should not be forcibly dispossessed of it; and he promised that "his Majesty's government will do anything it possibly can to help any action the United States may take."

The speaker added that none of the perpetrators of the outrages was an Englishman.

AFTER 13 YEARS.

Members of New York Firm See ex-Bookkeeper in Broadway Car.

New York, July 19.—The woolen firm of Goodman Brothers found a shortage of $30,000 in their books 13 years ago and swore out a warrant against their bookkeeper, James Fisher, who had the power to sign checks and had much to do with the firm's finances.

They never caught the man, however, for he left his house by the back door without coat or collar as a detective called at the front entrance and from then the police got no trace of him until last night, when the two Goodman brothers, riding in a Broadway street car, saw a man whom they decided was their missing bookkeeper.

They had him arrested. The prisoner said he was Thomas Fisher, a liquor dealer. He admitted that he had worked for Goodman Brothers, but said that he was a brother of the man the police were looking for. A detective, however, positively identified him from a photograph as the missing bookkeeper.

THEY FOUGHT IT OUT

Tragedy Last Night In Rome, Ga.—One Was Killed

Rome, Ga., July 18.—Charles Williams was shot and killed by Ed Gibson, near Armuchee, last night after an alleged arrangement between the men "to fight out" a difficulty.

It is said the affair was the result of charges that had been preferred against Charles Gibson, a brother of Ed Gibson and William's wife by the latter. The two men met at the home of Mrs. Williams last night, and shooting soon began.

The parties involved are prominent. It is reported that Gibson will claim self-defense. The sheriff has gone to the scene to arrest Gibson.

What Makes a Woman?

One hundred and twenty pounds, more or less, of bone and muscle don't make a woman. It's a good foundation. Put into it health and strength and she may rule a kingdom. But that's just what Electric Bitters gives her. Thousands bless them for overcoming fainting and dizzy spells and for dispelling weakness, nervousness, backache and tired, listless, worn out feeling. "Electric Bitters have done me a world of good," writes Eliza Pool, Depew, Okla., "and I thank you, with all my heart, for making such a good medicine." Only 50c. Guaranteed by R. R. Bellamy.

FROM CLARK'S MANAGER.

His Understanding of "What is a Democrat"?—Statement.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 19.—Walter Clark, Jr., who is State manager for the campaign of his father, Chief Justice Walter Clark, for the United States Senate, gave out a lengthy statement today in which he denies that there was agreement on the part of A. D. Watts, personal representative of Senator Simmons, and friends of Judge Clark and Governor Kitchin in the executive committee meeting July 9th, that only those voting the National, State, Congressional and county Democratic tickets should be permitted to vote in the Senatorial primaries. He asks why, if this was the fact, did A. D. Watts, C. A. Webb and W. E. Brock, supporters of Senator Simmons, vote against such a resolution in the sub-committee and why did the supporters of Senator Simmons vote for postponement of this issue in the vote when the matter was being fought out in the full committee? Mr. Clark reviews the contest over this issue as it was fought out in the committee and sub-comittee, leading up to the postponement of action. He concludes his lengthy statement with the declaration that Judge Clark wishes it definitely settled that no man who votes the Republican ticket for President shall be allowed to vote for United States Senator in the Democratic primary. And that, of course, any one voting the Democratic ticket in November shall be allowed to vote for Senator whether he has voted the Democratic ticket heretofore or not.

Governor Kitchin went to Wilson today to deliver a campaign speech there tonight in connection with his race for the United States Senate against Senator Simmons and Chief Justice Clark.

The people of Raleigh are much interested in what action the stockholders of the Greensboro Life Insurance Co., are taking in the matter of the impending renewed effort to bring about a combination of the business of the Greensboro Life and the Jefferson Standard, of Raleigh, as the Jefferson Standard of Greensboro. It is understood that the Greensboro interests have made a proposition counter to the one that the Jefferson Standard directors made which involves the purchase of $100,000 of the stock of the Jefferson Standard by the Greensboro Life stockholders and the reinsurance of the Greensboro Life business in the Jefferson Standard. Indications are that if th deal is not finally closed there will be Raleigh interests to take over the dissastisfied element of the Jefferson Standard stockholders and retain the business in Raleigh.

WALKER VICK NAMED.

Will be Assistant Secretary of the Wilson Campaign.

New York, July 19.—All papers and records of the Democratic National Committee which had been in the possession of Norman E. Mack, recently retired, as chairman of the committee, were turned over to William F. McCombs, the new chairman, late today. Mr. McCombs accompanied by National Secretary Joseph Davies, reached here this afternoon from Sea Girt, and held an extended conference with Mr. Mack, who later left for Buffalo, his home.

"I think the affairs of the Democratic party are in excellent hands" said the retiring chairman, referring to Mr. McCombs. "He is a capable man for the place, and Democrats can rest assured that Chairman McCombs will make a good leader."

Mr. Mack expresed himself confident of a Democratic victory this Fall.

Secretary Davies announced that Democratic headquarters in this city would be established within a week.

"In a few days the appointment of Walker Whiting Vick, of Rutherford, N. J., as assistant National Secretary of the Democratic Committee, will be announced, it was indicated, when the conference ended. Mr. Vick is a former newspaper man and has been active in the Wilson cause since the Governor's boom first was launched.

THE BRISTOL WRECK.

Report Was in Error Yesterday—Excursionists All Safe.

Charlotte, N. C., July 19.—Much anxiety was felt here today over a report that the excursion from Charlotte to Johnson City had been wrecked and that two persons had been killed and a score injured near Bristol. Later telegrams, however, brought the intelligence that the report referred to a small wreck on the Southern near Bristol the day before.

SUMMER FOODS OFTEN CAUSE DYSPEPSIA

Their Effect on the Digestive Organs Responsible for Many of the Season's Ills

Summer should be the period of perfect health, but impure water and milk, unripe fruit, and the tendency to indulge in acid foods and iced drinks, produces a contrary condition in many people.

The effect of the average Summer diet is to constipate even normally regular bowels, and this results in disarranging the entire digestive system. When the bowels are choked with the stomach's refuse, indigestion is almost sure to follow, and the waste matter that should pass out through the bowels, not finding passage, ferments in the stomach and the poisons are forced into the blood, causing much distress and often serious illness.

To keep the bowels free, there is no more effective remedy than Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. This is a pleasant tasting bowel stimulant and laxative tonic that is very gentle in its action, bringing relief in an easy, natural manner, and without discomfort. A spoonful of Syrup Pepsin will quickly check Summer diarrhoea by cleansing the bowels and removing the foreign matter that irritates and inflames the tissue. It is sold in drug stores for fifty cents a bottle; a large family size, considerably more than twice the quantity, costs a dollar. If you have never used Syrup Pepsin and would like a free trial bottle, postpaid, write to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 400 Washington street, Monticello, Illinois.

RAID IN COLUMBIA

Social Clubs Visited and Liquor Confiscated

Columbia, S. C., July 19.—The local police department made a raid on the blind tigers last night and pulled eight of them. Nearly all of the places visited operated clubs on the main business thoroughfares or were within one block of the street. In all eight places stocks of wines, beer and whiskey were recovered for confiscation by the police, and the tigers released on cash bonds of $40.75. When the cases were called in the police court this morning none of the defendants made their appearance and the bonds were forfeited. The eight places do not represent the entire blind tiger fraternity but were the only ones visited last night by the police.

TIES UP THE NAVAL BILL.

Will Not Abandon Effort to Secure Charleston Appropriation.

Washington, July 19.—Senator Tillman's refusal to abandon a $300,000 improvement at the Charleston navy yard, and a demand of the House that all battleships be cut out of this year's building programme probably will result in a disagreement over the Naval Appropriation bill.

An effort is under way to secure a compromise in the House whereby one battleship will be agreed to. Senate conferees would yield to the House demand for the abandonment of proposed improvements at the Portsmouth, Philadelphia and Charleston navy yards were it not for Senator Tillman's stand.

CAPTURE 'GATOR

Saurin on Carrollton Avenue in Fashionable Neighborhood

New Orleans, July 19.—An alligator six feet long was captured in Carrollton avenue, a fashionable section of this city, by the crew of a street car early yesterday morning.

The conductor and motorman were helpless until reinforced by the crew of another car. They combined forces and the alligator was finally hauled to the car barns.

THE NEVADA CLOUDBURST

Nine Known to be Dead With Big Property Loss

Reno, Nev., July 19.—Though it is believed tonight that the list of dead in the cloudburst which yesterday devastated the town of Mazeuma, 31 miles from Lovelock, and 100 miles east of Reno, may be added to when the search for bodies is finished, it is known nine persons were drowned and nine injured, probably fatally. Property loss estimated at nearly $200,000 was done.

NO COST TO SENATOR BORAH

Spends Nothing for Renomination in Idaho Statewide Primaries

Washington, July 19.—Senator William E. Borah, of Idaho, enjoys the distinction of having conducted a campaign for renomination in a Statewide primary without the expenditure of a cent.

He filed his sworn statement today with the secretary of the Senate, covering the primary that is to take place in Idaho on July 30th, declaring that he had neither received nor spent any money or made any pledges.

Bluefield, W. Va., July 19.—Fire early this morning completely destroyed McCue & Wright's flour mill and four other buildings, the wholesale house of Becker & Payne and several residences entailing a loss estimated at about $300,000 partly insured.

The Choice of A Husband

is too important a matter for a woman to be handicapped by weakness, bad blood or foul breath. Avoid these killhopes by taking Dr. King's Life Pills. New strength, fine complexion, pure breath, cheerful spirits—things that win men follow their use. Easy, safe sure. 25c. R. R. Bellamy.

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AT LAST—Wilmington has it. A first-class Delicatessen store. Give us your trade. A fine line of everything good to eat. Special attention to phone orders. 130 Market street; 'Phone 1222. jy20-1t

WANTED—Rooms for light housekeeping by young married couple, by August 1st. Reply at once, giving full particulars, with terms. Best references. "J. S. B.," care Star. jy20-2t

WANTED—Five stenographers, six clerks, $45 to $75; seven laboring men, $2.50; two cooks, $15 per week. Enclose 4c. stamps. Wilmington Employment Agency, 204 North Front street, Box 834. jy20-1t

SPECIAL for today. One nice lot of N. C. hams and shoulders. Brunswick Grocery Co.; 'phone 256. jy20-3t

SPRING CHICKENS, very best of season, 3 for $1.00. Fancy horse apples for cooking, 50c. per peck. Nice line of fresh meats, fruits and vegetables. We want your business. We pay freight charges to Beach on all orders of $2.00 or more. Palace Market, 'Phone 72. jy20-1t

EGGS—Fresh from the country, 20 cents a dozen. Best table butter, three pounds for one dollar. Granulated sugar, six cents a pound. Jersey milk, three cans 25 cents; fine Irish potatoes, 25 cents a peck; fancy lemons, 17½ cents a dozen. Several hundred head of spring chickens, any size and any price. 'Phone 1938. L. T. New. je20-1t

FOR RENT—Three rooms and bath apartment; Southern exposure. Cape Fear Apartments, at 3rd and Church. Apply Apartment No. 14. jy19-3t

44TH SERIES Building and Loan Association now open in the old reliable Mechanics' Home Association. Walker Taylor, president; W. M. Cumming, secretary. jy17-4t

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GREATEST INVENTION known to the public. A Family steam washing machine. Wonderfully cheap. Write immediately for catalogue. The Home Steam Washer Co., Norfolk, Va. jy16-6t*

FOR SALE—Rough and dressed pine and cypress boards, flooring, ceiling, weatherboarding and laths. Reasonable prices; quick delivery. 'Phone 538. Camp Manufacturing Co. my30-tu,th,sa-30t*

WANTED—To commence work not later than August 15th, a competent stenographer. One with a knowledge of double entry book-keeping preferred. Address with references, Henry Bowden, Manager, North Carolina Cotton Oil Co., Wilmington, N. C. jy19-6t

WANTED—August 1st, position as clerk or collector. Well experienced in both. Best references furnished. Address "I. N.," care Star. jy18-4t

JUST ARRIVED—Three milk cows that must be sold. They are fresh and good milkers. James J. Darby, Front and Orange. jy18-6t*

WANT TO BUY 200,000 feet long leaf or good rosemary pine logs from 20 to 32 feet long, delivered at Wilmington, in rafts, for cash. Northrop Lumber & Export Co. jy18-1t

WANTED—Planing mill flooring machine feeder. A man who can also keep up machine. Waccamaw Lumber Co., Bolton, N. C. jy16-6t

WANTED—Four unfurnished rooms for housekeeping. Willing to pay good rent for same. Address "Typo," care Star. jy14-tf

BUICK AND PALMER SINGER Automobiles, now at Queen City Cycle Co. je2-tf

FIRST CLASS planing mill man wants position as machinist, or foreman. Apply to R. E. Bullock, Bladenboro, N. C. jy17-6t*

WANTED—Middle-aged white servant; good home for the right party; board and room on the premises. Address "B", care Star. jy 6-tf.

FOR SALE—Five passenger Automobile, in first class condition. Can be seen at Wilmington Auto Repair Co. A bargain at the price. jy9-tf

COLONIAL INN—Under new management. European plan. Luncheon daily from 12:30 to 3, fifty cents. jy11-tf

FOR SALE—One of the most desirable corners on North Third street. Apply quick to W. M. Cumming, Real Estate Agent. jy11-tf-ex su

CHIROPODIST—If it is a corn, bunion or ingrowing nail troubling you, call on W. T. Breeden, the Chiropodist, at Ellis' Barber Shop, 109 Princess street. Satisfaction guaranteed. jy11-1mo

WANTED—First class, all round mill man to take charge of mill with capacity of 8,000 to 10,000 feet per day. Reply with best references. Jackson Lumber Co. Sumter, S. C. jy13-sa,su,w-2w

BARGAINS in a fine line of Trunks, Suit Cases and Hand Bags. Also in all kinds of unredeemed pledges. Save money and see Uncle Charles, 16 S. Front street. Ja3-tf

WRITE US for special Summer proposition. Our place will please you. White Sulphur Springs, Mt. Airy, N. C. je14-30t*

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